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UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY,

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LAWS AND REGULATIONS

OF THE

UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY,

As adopted at a General Meeting of the Society, held in the City of Toronto, on the 3rd day of August, 1855.

[UNDER THE ACT OF INCORPORATION.]

ARTICLE I. This Society shall be denominated the "UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY," having the same object in view as the British and Foreign Bible Society—that is, the circulation of the Bible. without note or comment.

II. This Society shall endeavour to unite all the different Societies in the Province, and to concentrate their operations, in order to give more efficiency to the whole.

III. This Society shall maintain, in the City of Toronto, a general depot of Bibles and Testaments, from which all the Auxiliaries and Branch Societies in connection with it shall be supplied with the Scriptures, at the lowest price at which they can be afforded.

IV. The business of this Society shall be carried on by a Board of Directors, to consist of a President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer and Secretaries, together with twenty lay members, fifteen of whom, who shall have most frequently attended, shall be eligible for re-election each year, five of whom to form a quorum. All Ministers of the Gospel, who are members of the Society, shall be entitled to a seat, and to vote with the Directors.

V. The President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, Secretaries, and Agents of all Auxiliary and Branch Societies in connection therewith, shall be *ex officio* members of the Board.

VI. At any meeting of the Directors, the President, or, in his absence, the Vice-President first upon the list then present, and in absence of such Vice-President, the Treasurer, and in his absence such member as shall be chosen for that purpose, shall preside.

VII. Each person paying annually one dollar shall be a member of this Society ; and persons paying fifty dollars at any one time, either to this Society or to any of the Societies in connection therewith, or through them to the British and Foreign Bible Society, or who may have rendered important services, shall, at the discretion of the Directors, be declared Life Members.

VIII. That each Life member of this Society shall be furnished with a Certificate of Membership, under the Corporate Seal of the Society, duly signed by the President and Secretaries for the time being, and shall be allowed to receive from the Depository annually, for distribution, Bibles and Testaments to the value of one dollar.

IX. That the board of Directors for the time being shall have the appointment of Agents, Depositary, Colporteurs, Bookkeeper and Assistants of the

Society, and the fixing of all salaries and allowances; and shall have the superintendence and management of all the property, real and personal, of the Corporation, as well as the management and control of its general affairs, and the appropriation of its funds, with full power to enact such rules as may be requisite to effect the objects contemplated by the Act of Incorporation.

X. The Board of Directors shall meet for the transaction of business once in each quarter, and at any other time when called together by the Secretaries, or any three of the Directors.

XI. A General Meeting of the Society shall be held in the month of May, in each and every year, or at such other time as the Directors for the time being may deem best for the interests of the Society; when the Officers and Directors for the ensuing year shall be chosen; a report of the proceedings for the foregoing year presented; together with the Treasurer's and Depositary's accounts, duly audited.

XII. In the Annual Report of the Society, the efforts of the several Societies in connection with it shall be distinctly mentioned, as respects the circulation of the Scriptures and the contributions to the funds, together with such other matter connected with them as may be generally interesting.

XIII. That the General Meetings of the Society shall be opened by reading a portion of the Sacred Scriptures, and with prayer.

XIV. That no alterations in this Constitution shall be made except at a General Meeting of the Society, and after one month's notice of the same has been given to the Board.

RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RELATIVE TO GRANTS TO SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

That in all applications for grants of Bibles to Sunday Schools, the applicant be requested to furnish the Secretaries with an account of the state of the School; the number of Scholars and Teachers; the amount of funds at the disposal of the Managers; who are its officers; and why it is necessary to make such application:—all which should in every case be certified by a Minister of the Gospel, or some person of known respectability. And further, this Board recommends that the Secretaries make grants in future only to destitute settlements; reporting the same to the next General Meeting of the Board of Directors.

RULES

RECOMMENDED TO BRANCH SOCIETIES.

I. That a Society be formed in connection with the British and Foreign Bible Society, through the medium of the Upper Canada Bible Society, for the purpose of contributing to the circulation of the Holy Scriptures without note or comment: the English copies being of the authorized version *only*.

II. That the Society be denominated "THE ———— BRANCH BIBLE SOCIETY."

III. That all persons subscribing one dollar annually, or five dollars at one time, shall be members of this Society.

IV. That the business of this Society shall be conducted by a President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Secretary, and a Committee consisting of not less than ——— other members; five to constitute a quorum.

V. That all Ministers of the Gospel who join the Society shall be reckoned members of the Committee.

VI. That the Committee shall meet quarterly, or oftener; the time and place of Meeting to be fixed by themselves.

VII. That the Committee divide their sphere of operations into Districts, and appoint visitors for each district, to solicit subscriptions and donations from the inhabitants, and also to ascertain the wants of the people regarding the Word of God.

VIII. That the whole of the subscriptions and donations received by this Society shall, after deducting incidental expenses, be remitted, yearly, to the Upper Canada Bible Society, for the purpose of translating the Word of God into the Indian languages, and for supplying other nations, through the Parent Institution, with the pure Word of God: or for the purchase of Bibles and Testaments to supply the neighborhood *at cost price*, or gratuitously to those who cannot purchase.

IX. That a General Meeting of the Subscribers be held on the ——— day of ———, in each year, at ———, when the accounts shall be presented; the proceedings of the past year stated; a new Committee appointed, and a Report agreed upon: the Report to be published under the direction of the Committee if required.

X. That on the formation of a new Committee, the President, Vice-Presidents, Treasurer, Secretary, and such three-fourths of the other members of the Committee as have most frequently attended, shall be eligible for re-election for the ensuing year.

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.

During the last twelve months the world has been hearing of wars, rumours of wars, and famines in divers places. These things should stir up Christians to broader benevolence and more earnest efforts in promoting peace. "Blessed is that servant whom His Lord when He cometh shall find so doing." For some time our whole nation has been fearing that British interests in the East were imperilled, and our statesmen have differed as to the best way to defend those interests. But whatever may be the right course for England to take in the present crisis, Christians cannot doubt that British interests will be best promoted by Britain fulfilling the mission God has given her. The Directors of the Upper Canada Bible Society believe that the most important part of that mission is to give to all nations of the world that blessed Book, which has done so much for her own people. It is at this time their duty and privilege to report what this part of the British Empire has done during the year to help on this great work.

It is with mingled feelings that the Directors present this their annual report. They desire to be thankful for the preserving care of our Heavenly Father over the Society's Agents and Colporteurs, and for the many mercies vouchsafed to themselves and other officers and friends of the Society, while they regret to record the loss of one of the Society's most useful Directors. The late Mr. John McBean had been a member of the Board for several years, and not only was he very regular in his attendance, but his practical experience was at times of great service. The Society has also lost several old and valued friends in the country, such as the late Rev. H. C. Cooper of Etobicoke, and Mr. McAnnany of Belleville. They rejoice at the peace and plenty enjoyed in our own land, yet cannot but feel sad when they think that so many of our fellow-creatures in other parts of the world have been starving and suffering the horrors of war. They feel some disappointment that the expected revival of business has not taken place, and that the total income of the Society has fallen short of that received in the previous year, but they think there is good cause to congratulate the members of the Society that, notwithstanding the activity of denominational schemes and the consequent demands on the members of the different churches, united effort to scatter the good seed of the Word still commends itself to them, and this Society retains a chief place in their affections. The abundant harvest that cheered the husbandman led the Board of Directors to anticipate an increase in the resources of the Society, and up to the end of February the income was largely in advance of the receipts in the corresponding period of the preceding year. But in March so much less was received that the total income fell short $708, being $31,335 compared with $32,043. It is very encouraging however to note that this difference is more than accounted for in bequests during the previous year, and

that in such a time of continued stringency the receipts of the Society from ordinary sources shew an actual increase of $1,025. The bequests received during the past year were $40 from the late John Thom, Esq., who was for several years a Director of the Society, and always a very liberal contributor to its funds; $1,000 from the late James Cerswell, Esq., of Tecumseh; $40 from the late John Munro, Esq., of Grafton, and $50 from the late Miss T. Galbraith, of Princeton.

The Directors are glad to report that the issues of the Society in the year have amounted to 38,769 copies, being 595 more than in the preceding twelve months. This is a very slight increase; but there can be little doubt that it would have been larger had more prosperous times set in. The Colporteurs' reports have almost uniformly shewn that there has been a great demand for Bibles; but at the same time an almost unparalleled scarcity of money among the people. Special attention has been given to Colportage, the number of copies circulated through this channel is much larger, and the work in some parts, especially in Manitoba, has been both interesting and encouraging. More will be said of this hereafter (see page 5). The total number of copies of the Scriptures issued by the Society since its formation is 1,049,486.

AUXILIARY AND BRANCHES.

In the report adopted at the last annual meeting, the Board of Directors was recommended to take into its careful consideration the relationship existing between the Society and its London Auxiliary. The working of the Auxiliary from the time of its formation has been examined, a deputation of the Directors has visited London to discuss the matter with the Committee there, one from London has advocated its views at a meeting of the Board, and there has been a lengthy correspondence which was published in full in the November *Recorder*. There has been no difference of opinion as to the need of some change. The committee of the Auxiliary have asked for extended powers and entire control, which would practically lead to the complete severance of the five counties from the rest of the Society's field. The Directors, after carefully considering all the communications of the London Committee and weighing the arguments advanced by the deputation, have been unable to come to any other conclusion than that at which they had unanimously arrived in July, viz; that the Auxiliary system had failed at London as it had at Kingston; and that the proposed reorganization and the extension of the powers of the London Committee would only have the effect of still further increasing an expense, which was already quite disproportionate to the amount of real Bible work accomplished by the Auxiliary. Under these circumstances the Directors felt that they could not remain responsible for the continuance of a system which absorbed a considerable amount of money intended to go as directly as possible to help in the circulation of God's Word. Having communicated the facts to the Branches in the Auxiliary's field, and having received answers which gave good reason to believe that the large majority of the friends of the cause in that section of the Province endorsed the judgment of the Directors, the Board has rescinded the resolution of August, 1864, by which the Auxiliary was created, and has requested the Branches to resume direct connexion with the Upper Canada Bible Society after the close of the Auxiliary's current year on the 31st of August next.

The Directors regret to have to report that the London Committee has taken upon itself to send a circular to the Branches in that part of the Society's field to induce them to sever themselves from the bulk of the Province and form a separate Society. The amount of injury that this may inflict upon the good cause it is difficult at present to estimate; but it is hoped that they will, before very long, recognise the desire of the people for unity and economy, and withdraw from the position they have taken.

There are eighty-five Branches on the Auxiliary's list. Fifteen of these however have for several years made no returns and will in most cases be struck off when the Board resumes direct connexion with this part of the Society's field, as they are only a cause of expense. Forty two have sent free contributions to the amount of $1773. In his letter forwarding the remittance, the Secretary of the Auxiliary calls attention to the gratifying advance of $411 above the contributions of last year. The Directors gladly recognise this. They are pleased also to notice that the Branches which have indicated their approval of the judgment and final action of the Board have contributed $742, being $458 more than they did last year, whereas the total contributions of those which have expressed their desire for the continuance of the Auxiliary do not exceed $103, including what they have sent to the Auxiliary itself, to this Society, and to the Parent Society in England. The Auxiliary has remitted $650 on purchase account, being nearly $500 less than the previous year.

In addition to those that have been under the superintendence of the London Committee, the Society had last year 366 Branches in direct communication with the Board. Of these, four have been struck off the list, and three have been reduced to the position of mere depositories. Only three new Branches have been formed and two new Depositories, so that now there are 362 Branches and five other Depositories. This looks at first sight like a reduction ; but it is a real gain, the new Branches giving good promise of being effective helpers in the work, and not causes of unproductive expense. Zurich has already sent a free contribution of $50, and Temperanceville $32, and a remittance is expected from Burgoyne at an early date. One of the agents in his report expresses the opinion that a large part of the population is not canvassed on behalf of the Society. The Directors believe that this is the case in many parts ; they think however that in most places the true remedy is, not a multiplication of Branches, which would increase the expense of Agency, but the appointment of more collectors by those already organized. It has been an encouraging feature of this year's work that many of the Branches, at the instance of the Agents, promised to widen the fields of their operations, and the officers of several of the stronger ones have undertaken to hold meetings at surrounding villages. Nevertheless there are some parts of the field in which room may be found for new Branch Societies, and the Agents have noted several places where they believe such may be profitably organized, when more prosperous times return.

Of the old Branches, Brantford still takes the lead in the cause of Bible circulation. Hamilton, Guelph and other leading Branches have done well considering the times, while Galt, Port Hope, St, Mary's and others have even increased their contributions.

The Winnipeg Branch is of course not a source of income ; but the Committee there are doing a good work in directing and superintending the labours of the Society's Colporteur in that field, and endeavour to do what they can to supplement the Society's grant for his support. At the annual meeting of the Branch, held on the 11th March, the following resolution was passed : "That this meeting recognises with joy the important work of the Upper Canada Bible Society, and that our grateful thanks are due and are hereby tendered to that Society for the valuable assistance they have given, as well as for the sympathy and encouragement which they have invariably extended to us."

AGENCY.

In accordance with the plan adopted in 1875, the Board endeavoured to have every Branch visited in the past year. To do this, one Permanent and twenty-seven Provisional Agents have been employed. The interest mani-

fested by these gentlemen in the work of the Society is a guarantee that their influence will always henceforth be actively exercised in its behalf. The importance of this cannot be doubted by any one who knows in what high esteem the ministers of the Gospel are generally held by their people in this Province. One of the Agents was prevented by sickness from doing the work he had undertaken, and unfortunately the Board was not informed of this until it was too late to make timely arrangements for the visitation of his section before the close of the Society's year. The Permanent Agent is, of course, obliged to leave some of his work to be done in the months of April, May and June, and this causes some inconvenience to a few Branches each year; but the advantages of the present plan are so marked, that the Directors trust the officers of the Branches will be ready to put up with this occasionally for the good of the cause. The attendance at the meetings appears to have been on the whole better than in former years; and in some places the Agents have been cheered by large audiences, who had come out in spite of bad weather, and in some instances from long distances and over bad roads.

The total cost of Agency during the year has been $3,596.30; and the Directors feel satisfied that all, who know the amount of work done, will consider this money well spent.

Extracts from some of the agents' reports will be found on page 25.

FINANCES.

The total income of the Society in the year has been $31,335.77. Deducting bequests, we find the receipts from ordinary sources, $30,115.77, to be $1,025 more than last year.

The proceeds of sales have been	$11,620 96
Free Contributions	18,234 02
Rents (Ketchum Bequest), Interest, and refund	350 79
Bequests	1,130 00
Total	$31,335 77

The Free contributions were for the following specified objects:

To the Upper Canada Bible Society	$11,777 11
" British and Foreign Bible Society	6,046 26
" Montreal Bible Society	241 11
" Quebec "	72 66
" French Canadian Missionary Society	96 88
	$18,234 02

The Board has voted the following grants:

To the New Brunswick Bible Society (after the St. John fire)	$500
To the B. and F. Bible Society, £500 sterling, say	2,450
To the Quebec Bible Society	500
Amount placed at the disposal of the Colportage Committee for use in Manitoba	500
For the Indians of the North-West	750
	4,700

There has been remitted on purchase account to the British and Foreign Bible Society, £2,355 17*s.* 7*d* sterling, leaving a balance due of £1,225 11*s.* 3*d.*

The stock on hand in our Depository is valued at $6,385.10. Further particulars will be found in the Treasurer's Account.

DISTRIBUTION.

The number of Bibles, Testaments, and portions, which have been issued from the Society's House during the past twelvemonths is 38,769, being 595 more than the number sent out the previous year.

Of the above, 4,155 were sold, and 1,721 issued gratuitously at the Depository in Toronto; 27,317 sent to Branch Depositories, or sold to the trade; 5,576 to Colporteurs; 1,558 were in other languages than English, and 23 were portions, in raised characters, for the blind.

The total number of copies issued by the Society since its formation is 1,049,486.

COLPORTAGE.

Much attention has been given to the colportage of the Society during the year, and the Directors have endeavoured to take care that no part of the field should be neglected. Although there has not been an increase in the number of the Society's Colporteurs, the aggregate time spent in this service has been greater, and there has been a corresponding increase in the number of copies of the Scriptures circulated through this channel. The reports have shown that in almost every locality into which the Colporteurs have been sent, there has been manifest a desire among the people to purchase the Bible. The gratuitous distribution by the Colporteurs has been increased, but almost entirely in connexion with the Society's operations among the French and half-breeds in Manitoba.

Mr. J. E. Taylor, who entered the Society's service during the year, was formerly engaged in a somewhat similar work among the sailors in Liverpool. He was sent to the agricultural shows at London, Hamilton, Brampton, Uxbridge, Ameliasburg, and Demorestville. In addition to his stock for sale, he took with him a show case of Scriptures in twenty-five different languages, a number of hand-bills giving a short sketch of the history of the Society, and some copies of a little pamphlet containing John iii. 16, in 134 languages, the demand for which he could not at all satisfy. The spirit with which he prosecuted this work was very gratifying. He not only sold many copies of the Scriptures, but undoubtedly succeeded in awakening in many minds a lively interest in the operations of the Society.

Mr. Brimstin, another new colporteur, has been labouring faithfully in the back townships of the County of Hastings. Mr. Badger has, as usual, done some very arduous work in the Muskoka and Nipissing Districts. Messrs. McPhail and Rothwell have been working in the more settled counties, and Mr. Lowry, the Society's oldest colporteur, laboured for two months with his usual success in the city of Toronto and its vicinity. Mr. Moodie has left the Society's service to go to Manitoba, and Mr. Sparling has been laid aside by poor health.

After several fruitless efforts to get a competent colporteur for Manitoba, able to speak both French and English, the services of Mr. Rouleau were at last secured, and he proceeded to that distant part of the Society's field last May. His reports have been both interesting and encouraging, and letters received from the Committee of the Winnipeg Branch express their satisfaction with his zeal and activity, and thankfulness for the results of his efforts. In a letter recently received they say: "The good seed has been sown, and therein we rejoice. At the same time we do not forget, for experience has taught us, that in many places the precious seed of the Word is in constant jeopardy through the ignorance and hostility of men opposed to the truth as

it is in Jesus." . . . "We wish to plant the standard of the gospel at the outset, in order that this may be, for all time to come, a land of Bibles, a land in which Evangelical truth shall flourish, and therefore we appeal to your good and generous Committee to help us still further." After referring to their inability to carry on the work unassisted in the present young state of their Province they say: "However, we feel that no great argument is needed to induce you to deal as generously towards us as your circumstances will admit. With God's blessing we shall soon be self-supporting; nay more, we are looking forward to the time when we shall ourselves afford assistance to the pioneers further West."

Objections are still sometimes made to the Society employing colporteurs in the older and more settled parts of the country, and among people who live within easy reach of the Branch Depositories. Two of the agents mention in their reports having been met with these objections, when they were advocating the claims of the Society. The Directors are not prepared to ascribe all such complaints to proverbial fault-finders, who only wish an excuse for not supporting a good cause; and they beg to acknowledge that in some of the townships, into which Mr. Rothwell and Mr. Sparling were sent during the last year, they found the people well supplied and that there was little need of their labours. In other parts, however, quite as well settled our colporteurs have found a great demand for the Scriptures. It is to be remembered that, notwithstanding the efforts of our agents to have the Depositories kept in prominent places, their very existence is unfortunately often unknown to people living within a stone's throw of them. Even in Toronto, when shewn one of the Society's cheap large print Bibles, a man said to Mr. Lowry "This is what I have been wanting for years." The Directors believe that any real friends of the Society, who make these objections, must forget that our Colporteurs are not merely men who carry Bibles; but are Bible-men and Bible Society men. These men not only sell Bibles; but read the Bible and endeavour to awaken an interest in it, and also in the Society's efforts to disseminate it. If any such friends will look at the results of colportage in old England, or at the reports of Messrs. Lowry and Taylor's labours in the vicinity of Toronto and in Prince Edward County, they will soon recognise the necessity of this instrumentality in the old, as well as in the newly settled districts. However, the Directors have throughout borne in mind the paramount claims of our hardy pioneers in the back townships, and have always been ready to send a colporteur among them, wherever a practicable opening appeared. The total distribution through this channel has been 6,051 copies sold, and 774 given free. The Directors think that, these results are not at all unsatisfactory; and are firmly convinced of the importance of this instrumentality in almost all parts of the field.

SISTER SOCIETIES.

The Directors regret that they are unable to report the progress of several of the sister Societies in other parts of the Dominion. They hope and trust that the Ottawa Bible Society has been carrying on its work with its wonted vigour. The report of the Montreal Society is encouraging, shewing an increase in their total receipts, including several handsome bequests. There has also been a gratifying increase in the number of their issues; and the health of their agent, the Rev. Mr. Green, is sufficiently re-established to enable him to carry on his work with his usual efficiency. The Quebec Bible Society has had a very successful anniversary, which, it is hoped, will result in a deeper and more abiding interest being taken in the work. In a letter lately received from the Secretary he says:—"I regret to inform you, however, that our outlook

for the coming season is not encouraging. Owing to the exceptionally hard times, our collections have fallen off seriously, and the work must consequently suffer. I trust your Society will see its way clear to make its usual generous grant, as failing that we will not be able to put a French Colporteur in the field. You have no idea of the difficulties of the work, and were it not for outside aid received we would accomplish comparatively little." Upon hearing of the sad calamity of the St. John fire, the members of this Society felt deep sympathy with their brethren in New Brunswick, and at the first meeting of the Board of Directors a grant of $500 worth of stock was voted to aid the very active society of that Province in supplying the Scriptures to those whose Bibles had been destroyed. In acknowledging this, Mr. Maclellan, the Secretary, calls it "your seasonable liberality," and says:—"Your Society have been very thoughtful and very kind. Our whole stock was swept away by the fire, and the Scriptures you are sending will supply the demand until a new stock is received from England." The Directors of the Upper Canada Bible Society earnestly hope that our friends in New Brunswick will, by God's good providence, soon recover from the sad calamity which has befallen them, and that their Society will soon resume the honourable place it has long held as one of the best contributors to the world-wide work of our common parent in England.

It is with much regret that the Directors notice that our neighbour, the American Bible Society, is suffering, not only from the depression of commercial interests, but also from other causes. Its total income in the past year was $446,954, shewing a decrease of $96,625. In their monthly *Record* for January this falling off is said to be "due in a considerable degree to the fact that the Bible cause has been crowded out from the consideration of the churches by purely denominational claims," and that the "unsectarian, undenominational, fundamental work of giving the Bible to the nation and to the world has been, to some extent, overlooked." It is reassuring, however, to find that the falling off is largely accounted for in the single item of legacies, and it is cause for thankfulness to hear that the issues of the Society have increased, being 663,900 copies against 621,726. In the letter in which the above figures were kindly forwarded the Secretary says:—"The wide extent of our country opens before us a field which it is difficult to explore, and in which careful enquiry reveals constantly a large number of families unsupplied with the Scriptures. Consequently, our free donations of books are numerous and our colportage work has made urgent demands upon our means."

THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY.

The Report of the Parent Society is, as usual, full of interest. In its opening sentences referring to the words of our Lord "I am among you as he that serveth," it says:—

"It is the part of Religious Societies like ours to present England to the world in this guise of a servant. Thanks flow in from people in all quarters of the globe to the land which they regard as having sent them the Gospel of the grace of God, written in their own tongue, and brought to them by men who teach it with lip and life. * * * * Your Committee have earnestly endeavoured to grapple with the vast extent of the work before them, to withdraw from no field already occupied, but rather to enter in where God's Providence has seemed to make fresh openings; and it now becomes their duty to state, as plainly and briefly as may be, what their service has been, and what the tokens of approval vouchsafed by Him who, though once 'He took upon Him the form of a servant,' is now 'highly exalted,' bearing 'the name that is above every name, to which every knee shall bow.'

ENGLAND.

"Of the great work of the Society it may be truly said that 'it blesses him that gives as well as him that takes;' and in the carrying on of this work it may be noted as no unimportant element in the religious life of England, that upwards of 2,800 public meetings should have been held during the past year, in connection with this Society alone, at which the members of various communions have met face to face, merging their differences without compromise to their convictions, and have come by contact to know and esteem one another as brethren in Christ. Nor is it a slight thing that between 4,000 and 5,000 affiliated Societies should exist, uniting the counsels and energies of representatives of the several denominations in as many districts.

"The death roll has been painfully large during the year, many of the Society's Vice-Presidents, and Mr. Henry Knolleke, Asst. Foreign Secretary for many years, having been called to their reward. Mr. Wm. Hitchin, Accountant, has been compelled to retire through increasing infirmity.

"Issues.—The clearest conception of the magnitude of the work entrusted to your Committee is given by a statement of the year's Issues, which have been as follows:—

"1. From the depot in Queen Victoria Street—		
Bibles	630,405	
Integral Parts of the Old Testament	68,025	
New Testaments	489,931	
New Testaments with Psalms	31,203	
Integral Parts of New Testament	267,358	
		1,486,922
"2. From depots abroad—		
Bibles	178,466	
Integral Parts of the Old Testament	126,424	
New Testaments and Testaments with Psalms	533,314	
Integral Parts of New Testament	345,616	
		1,183,820
Total		2,670,742

"The issues of the Society from its commencement are brought up to a present total of 79,103,465 copies.

"Bible Women.—Through these invaluable workers the sum of £1,738 have been subscribed by the poor for 12,480 books; and at the end of the year there remained 6,854 subscribers who were paying for Bibles by instalments. Mrs. Ranyard, in acknowledging grants from your Committee to the amount of £515 for the past year, says that 20 years' experience shows that 'the best mode of seeking access to the poor and ignorant is by taking them good print Bibles for sale, and taking care to make these speak in small and striking portions, till the hearers really desire to have copies and understand them for themselves.' Her staff of 400 workers has disbursed about £1,500 in aid and relief in its 221 districts.

IRELAND.

"The issues of the Hibernian Bible Society during the past year have been 70,637 copies, or about 7000 below those of 1875; while its income has been £4,546 19s. 11d., which is about £200 above the amount previously received.

SCOTLAND.

"The Report of the National Bible Society of Scotland is encouraging. The Free Income is £13,885, and the returns for Scriptures, £13,203, making a total of £27,088, while the expenditure has been £26,675. The issues have been 308,327 copies, showing an increase of 13,038. This increase is chiefly due to a larger circulation in Germany, Poland, Spain and Sweden.

FRANCE.

"The blessings of peace are nowhere to be seen more clearly than they are in the case of France. It is known to all what amazing elasticity there is in her national resources, and that her annual revenue is considerably greater than our own. But it is not so generally known that she has been making progress at the same time towards the attainment of that best and most abiding wealth, which consists in the possession of the Word of God unfettered, and shaping the lives of the people after its holy precepts. Your Committee, with an intelligent representative in Paris, and a large staff of colporteurs continually traversing the country, from the Ardennes to the Pyrenees, have special facilities for judging of the religious temper of the nation; and they are assurred that 'there is hardly a single report of the colporteurs which does not speak of some locality or other in which the preaching of the Gospel would find ready listeners.' It is in the provinces, as at Paris, where the workingmen flock by hundreds to Mr. McAll's meetings; the popular faith in Popery seems to be breaking up. This field is now occupied by 62 colporteurs, all men of approved Christian character, and superintended by Protestant Pastors; the number of sub-depots has been increased from 40 to 61, and the entire circulation from 95,646 to 98,406.

"For the Paris Exhibition of next year active preparations have been made. Early application was made for space within the building. But this will not content the Society's friends. They will naturally recall the steps taken in 1867, how a kiosk was built in the park, a vigorous work of colportage carried on, and a fund of £1,600 raised to cover all expenses. In view of the success which attended that enterprise, the Committee sent in a memorial last June, asking permission to erect a building in the grounds, as a centre from which sales and gifts might be effected. This request, like all similar ones, has been refused; but an excellent site has been secured just outside the main entrance to the Exhibition, which it is hoped will serve the same purpose almost as well.

BELGIUM.

"Here also there is an advance, the circulation having reached a total of 19,439 copies. Of these, 3,153 have been sold from the Brussels depot, and 7,636 by 6 colporteurs, who travel over the country; 8,521 have been issued to other societies.

GERMANY.

"In this important agency 339,039 copies have been circulated, or nearly 42,000 more than in 1875.

"This is worthy of remark, in view of the depression of trade, the strife of ecclesiastical parties, and the terrible development among the working classes of atheistic socialism. The colporteurs are a finely organized body of 75 men, who have shown unexampled zeal, fourteen having sold more than 1,000 whole Bibles each, independently of Testaments, and two having sold between them 17,000 copies of the Scriptures.

"It is to be noticed that the increased circulation has taken place in every

branch of the work, alike in Bibles, Testaments, and Portions, and in the German, French, Polish and Italian languages.

"The receipts of the year have reached the high figure of £11,781 2*s* 6*d*, of which £11,483 2*s* 7*d* have arisen from sales, being more than £500 above any previous year; while £297, 19*s* 11*d* are entered as donations and subscriptions.

AUSTRIA.

"We now approach the East of Europe, where so much agitation has prevailed during the past year. The circulation of the agency has amounted to 144,376 copies, or 27,066 more than in 1875. This is partly due to large sales at half price to the military, and partly to the free distribution in Servia, referred to below. The colporteurs have been 54, and their sales 73,372 copies, spread through every part of the Empire. In Bohemia the men were for some time deprived of their licences and imprisoned; but these restrictions have happily now been removed. An opening has at last been forced for the Bible into the Southern Tyrol, where the population is very bigoted, but the authorities are on the side of the Society. The colporteurs in Dalmatia came upon many fugitives from Turkey who could scarcely have lived, but for their kindness in fetching them food. There has been a considerable demand for Russ Scriptures in Transylvania.

"To meet the case of the military, the Committee sanctioned sales at a reduction of 50 per cent, on the usual prices. Large purchases became the order of the day, in Bohemia, Roumania and other districts; and while some parties professed to be indignant at the supply, it has elsewhere secured the praise and co-operation of the authorities. Thus a General in high authority in Russian Poland has this spring issued a circular calling on the commanding officers of the army to make up a complete list of all their men who desired to be supplied with Scriptures at reduced rates.

POLAND.

"The issues (included in the Austrian total) have risen to 20,284, many copies being bought by the Jews, who gather round the window of the Warsaw depot to read the books, which are opened at fresh pages every day. One Jewish lad who bought a New Testament of a colporteur, is now at college in England training for mission work. Some of the Roman Catholics also see the Scriptures advertised in the papers, and are induced to buy.

SERVIA.

"From the first rumour of hostilities in Servia, your Committee were in communication with their esteemed agent, Mr. Edward Millard. It was soon discovered that strangers would not be allowed to follow the army; and it therefore become necessary to await the consequences of the strife, and minister to the sufferers. Two experienced Christian men were detached for this work, in which no difference was made between Turk and Slav. Sixty-five hospitals were visited, and upward of 4,000 copies of the Scriptures distributed *gratis*. This was apart from large supplies issued to Dr. Laseron and other benevolent persons. The general circulation in Servia, distinct from these special efforts, has been 1,506 copies.

"It may be said that a visit of surprise has been paid to the Society, and hat the latter has not been found lacking. A year ago Servia was little known and rarely visited. When then it was brought into sudden notoriety by the events of the summer, the question was asked on all hands, "Has no one been working there for Christ?" and then it was found that this Society

had been busy for the last sixty years; that the Scriptures had long been given the people in their own tongue; and that the circulation to the end of 1875 had been nearly 100,000 copies.

ROUMANIA.

"The work among the military has helped to swell the issues for this section of the Austrian field to 11,416 copies. The condition of the people is described as very sad, while morals and religion are at a low ebb.

ITALY.

"Instead of concentrating their energy upon the single City of Rome, the Committee have sought to distribute it over all parts of the land; and from the valleys of Piedmont to the wilds of Calabria, 28 colporteurs have been engaged, and 44,056 copies circulated, or nearly 3,000 more than in 1875. The men have made interesting journeys through parts scarcely visited heretofore by any Christian teacher. Thus one landed at a small island to the South of Sardinia, where the people were so overjoyed at seeing the Bible that they were for sending a herald round to cry 'Viva la libertá! Viva l'Evangelo! The Gospel in our own language has arrived amongst us; make haste to buy it, for it will be here only a few days.' It still unhappily remains true that the circulation of the Scriptures in Italy is effected almost wholly among the working classes. Of the men of wealth and education it has to be said, 'He came into the world, and the world knew Him not.' It is observed, however, that some of the students at Bologna, who are ashamed to be seen reading the Bible at home, buy copies in foreign tongues, and allow their companions to suppose that their sole object is the study of language, when there is reason to believe that their motive lies much deeper.

"Less of opposition is shewn to the circulation of the Scriptures than used to be encountered by those engaged in their dissemination. This is not, however, so satisfactory a feature as might be imagined. It arises partly from the fact that the people are growing accustomed to see the Book carried about and publicly sold, and partly from the prevailing indifference to religion. On the other hand the enmity of the priests never took more active shape, and several instances of Bible burning are mentioned.

SPAIN.

"In the words of Mr. R. Corfield, the Society's esteemed Agent, 'Nothing in Spain is certain but uncertainty.' Threatening regulations, and restrictive enactments, have for some time interfered with the Society's operations in this field, and led the friends of Bible circulation to fear that the freedom they had for a time enjoyed was not long to continue. The circulation which, in this stronghold of Romanism, had reached 57,000 in 1875, was in 1876 reduced by 16 per cent.

"Letters just received from Mr. Corfield, at Madrid, state that an order has been issued by the Government to the authorities of the several provinces forbidding not only itinerating colportage, but sales from fixed tables in the market-place. All that is allowed is for the colporteur to keep within his own lodging and sell to callers; and inasmuch as already any signboard has been prohibited, it is clear that the Government is going as near as it can to suppressing the sale of the Scriptures altogether. Mr. Corfield says that two of the Society's colporteurs had written to him from Asturias—

"'That they were forbidden a place in the square, although they produced their licenses, *for which the Society had paid*, and did their best to stand their ground; they were told if they did not retire they would be im-

prisoned ; that, if they liked, they might sell in their lodgings, but nowhere else.

"'This new order cripples everything. For the present we have to exercise patience and trust. We are not dismayed at these new exhibitions of Popish hatred. We have had so many surprises in our day, that we are not to be cast down by present trial. We are sure of your warmest sympathies, and that you will do everything you can for us at home.'

"While these tidings are discouraging, and every Bible lover must feel sad that this necessitous field has so shown its enmity against God's word, yet who can calculate the result of the thousands of copies of God's life-giving Word that have been scattered amongst its people.

"As a cheering evidence of good done, Mr. Corfield instances a village of some 300 inhabitants, 12 miles distant from Oviedo, where 290 have become thoroughly enlightened in Protestant truth.

NORTHERN RUSSIA.

"Here also there is a diminished circulation, 208,161 as against 223,912 ; but what else could be expected in a year of extraordinary excitement, when war was in everybody's mouth, and great efforts were being made to raise contributions for the suffering Slavs in Servia? Among the editions of the Scriptures now being prepared in this agency is a Gospel in the dialect of the Russ Lapps, and a Gospel in the tongue of the Woguls, a tribe in Siberia, to whom the written Word of God has never yet been given. While work has been carried on St. Petersburg and Moscow, in Finland, the Baltic Provinces, the South-West Governments, and the Valley of the Volga, it is rapidly developing in Siberia, where 4,303 copies have been put in circulation.

SOUTHERN RUSSIA, AND THE FIELD OF WAR.

"In a recent letter, the Rev. S. B. Bergne, one of the Society's secretaries, says, with reference to the work in the field of war, 'We have reason to believe that our operations have been greatly appreciated, and I trust eminently blessed. The Russians have exhibited extreme eagerness to obtain the Scriptures, especially a whole Bible in their own vernacular in a single volume—a treasure they cannot get in their own country. As books in modern Russ, printed abroad, are not allowed to enter Russia, the present opporportunity of scattering the Word amongst the soldiers on the battle-field, is an opportunity of which the Society has not been slow to avail itself, and that to an extent that has taxed its resources to the utmost in keeping up adequate supplies.'

"The issues in South Russia have risen, in consequence of the active steps taken in connection with the war, to nearly four times the level reached in 1876. Without unduly anticipating the details, which will be given in the Annual Report, it may be said that, whereas in 1876 the aggregate was 61,982, during the past year it has been 230,322. This, however, includes supplies made to the Russian troops in Roumania by Mr. Watt's colporteurs.

The Turkish prisoners in Russian prisons and hospitals have not been forgotten, and thousands of copies of the Scriptures have been presented 'From the British and Foreign Bible Society to the Sick and Wounded Soldiers.'

Mr. Millard writes :—

"The figures from the seat of war are, up to November 24—sales, 34,642 ; gifts, 58,770 ; total, 93,412 copies ; and you are sufficiently acquainted with the details of the work to know that such figures are not reached without much anxious toil."

"Mr. Sellar thus describes a visit to the Russian prisoners at Constantinople :—

"'The first visit I paid was to those confined in a part of the great barracks at Scutari. I shall never forget the scene. We passed along the great corridor to speak to the officers, who had a room to themselves. They expressed great pleasure at the idea of our going among the men, and one, a Cossack major, bought a Russian Bible.

"'This opened an attack for which I was not prepared. Several men had followed us, and stood looking in at the open door and window, and when they found that we had books in 'Ruski,' they spread the news so quickly that in less than two minutes there was a general rush on the colporteur and his bag, some of the poor fellows offering all the money they had to get a Testament. Goldstein being compelled to shut up shop, several men came to me, offering the value of five or six shillings for a Psalter costing sixpence.'

"Thus amid the cruelties of war the Gospel of peace has won its nobler victories over the hearts of men.

GREECE, PORTUGAL, ETC.

"In Greece a strange effort has been made by the Holy Synod to put down the circulation of the Scriptures. It has, however, aroused public feeling in their favour, and the people are curious to know what the books are which cause so much alarm to the official mind. The depots at Athens, Tripolis, and Syra, report a sale of 743 copies, with 986 circulated by colporteurs. In Portugal seven colporteurs have been employed, and 5,000 copies have been sold; in Denmark 29,649 copies ; in Norway 25,111, part of which have been taken to very remote hamlets ; and in Sweden 85,467 copies.

PERSIA.

"This extensive country is only beginning to be opened to Bible work. A grant has been made for colportage around Teheran, and a missionary labouring there has been encouraged to translate one of the Gospels into the dialect of the Turkomans or Jaggatai Tartars.

SYRIA AND PALESTINE.

"Some 1,274 copies have been issued from the Damascus and Beyrout depots, and by the colporteur on the Lebanon ; this is better than before, but no one can regard it as satisfactory. At the depot opened recently at Bethlehem, while priests, both Greek and Armenian, and pilgrims of all confessions, come to read and hear of the word of God, the Romish clergy are amongst the Society's most decided foes, and here as elsewhere warn their people against the use of the Bible.

EGYPT.

"The issues (2,689) show an increase of 481 copies on those of 1878. Your Committee have joined the American Bible Society in opening a new depot at Cairo. To provide for the towns along the line of the Suez Canal a Dutch missionary from Galioub has been specially engaged ; he has already made two experimental tours with fair results.

EAST AFRICA.

"This has been the starting point of the various missions to the chain of central lakes. To the Church Mission party your Committee have supplied

Kiswaheli Scriptures ; while they wait to hear from the London Mission expedition what language is spoken on the shores of Tanganyika. It is their desire to co-operate with their brethren who have thus nobly gone to claim for Christ the parts explored by Livingstone.

SOUTH AFRICA.

"In view of the Cape Town Exhibition, the Committee has made a grant of fifty specimens of versions for permanent display in the depot. The Cape Town Auxiliary has twenty-five branches, including two at the Diamond Fields and Gold Diggings.

"At the Diamond Fields during the year, attention has been given to the distribution of the Word among the large and mixed population of the Camp, especially English, Dutch and Kaffir. When a colporteur was employed, most of the homes of the people were visited, and copies of the Scriptures sold to the various families at the most reduced price. Since then we have obtained a depot, and our people have sought after the Word. It has been most encouraging to witness the desire for the Bible manifested by the native population of the district. Coming from almost every part—and some of them, a distance of hundreds of miles—to seek employment, we hope and believe they have also found some knowledge of the way of life.

"From GRAHAM'S Town, the Rev. W. Holford writes that over 1,000 copies of the revised Kaffir New Testament have been issued, and that orders have been received for 2,000 more.

WEST AFRICA.

"The total issues of Yoruba Scriptures have now been 31,757 ; a grant of 410 copies has been made to the Mission under the care of Rev. D. Hinderer.

From Accra, the Rev. W. Penrose writes :—

"'The desire for the Word of God amongst the natives of our West Coast Mission is greater now than ever. The necessity for such an appeal as I now make will be understood when I say that our school here does not possess more than twenty Bibles, and about the same number of New Testaments.' A grant has been made to him in aid of his excellent schools, which contain about 700 children and adults.

MADAGASCAR.

"The Revision Committee have published Gen. i-xlv. Exodus and Matthew tentatively ; their progress is delayed to some extent by the absence of the Rev. W. E. Cousins from the island. Mr. John Parrett gives an interesting account of the demand for Scriptures in the Malagasy schools, and says: "As 99 out of every 100 schools are in our hands, you will see what a power and responsibility will rest upon us. The book we have asked you to reprint is the Child's Testament, a copy of which you will find in the hands of every boy and girl in many of our schools; you may think 50,000 a large edition, but we quite expect to issue 5,000 or 10,000 a year ; they are sold at 6*d.* each." and he adds, 'We are really only just beginning to comprehend what a vast field for work this island presents, and all that we have hitherto done seems only a preparation for what we have still to do.'

INDIA.

"During the past year in India, over 210,000 copies of the Scriptures, in

whole or in part, are reported as having been issued. Large grants have been made to Missionaries who have made Bible tours through the Country. On the occasion of the Proclamation of the Queen as Empress of India, the Punjab Auxiliary made a special effort to scatter the Scriptures. The Gospel of Mark has been brought out in Holland for the Balmese, a people numbering 800,000, for whom no portion of the word had been translated.

"Amongst other matters of interest it may be mentioned, that the Rev. E. Lewis while on a visit to the Canarese Country, sold nearly 3,000 copies to people who had never seen the Word of God before.

CHINA.

"The issues have been 48,492, effected chiefly through native colporteurs and the various missionaries. The Rev. J. MacGowan writes :—

"We believe the colporteurs are doing a grand work in the way of pioneering. They go into villages and out-of-the-way places, which the regular preacher has not yet visited, and as they explain what the value of the Book is they wish to distribute, the people hear something of the way of life long before the Church can do anything for them. We prize these agents very much, as we have found them true auxiliaries in our preaching the Gospel.

"Hong-Kong.—Despite much of suffering and ill-usage endured by the colporteurs, they persevere with their labours. The issues have been 7,637 copies ; the Psalms have been published in the Punti dialect, and a new pocket Testament, printed in European style, has been gladly hailed by the native Christians.

JAPAN.

"It is a matter for rejoicing that numerous openings for the circulation of the Bible are found in Japan. Besides the Scriptures in the vernacular, your Agent at Shanghai has recently sent over a large supply of nearly 3,000 New and Old Testaments in Chinese, which are used in the numerous schools, are purchased readily by the natives and at a much higher price than can be obtained from the Chinese. A Corresponding Committee has been formed at Tokyo (Yedo), with a distinct Bible Translating Committee in connexion with it.

SOUTH SEAS.

"Harvey Islands. Rarotonga.—The Rev. W. W. Gill, in pleading for maps in the Rarotongan Bible, says:—"It is impossible for me adequately to express our indebtedness to your Society for the help you have all along given us in our work. I think the great success of our South Sea Missions has arisen mainly from two things : —1. The employment of a native ministry. 2. The early translation and rapid diffusion of the Scriptures in the native language. So that in a single generation a race which had no written language has become a reading people." The natives value the Word of God so highly, that they willingly give one or two dollars for a copy, and they cannot bear to have the best of books shabbily bound.

SOUTH AMERICA.

"Buenos Ayres.—Your Agency here is in a vigorous condition, though its circulation (3,035) is less by 400 than in the previous year. The chief part of the sales has been effected by five faithful colporteurs who have encountered much opposition with a great amount of patience and Christian earnestness. One of them has recently made the longest journey of the kind ever attempted in South America. He travelled mostly by mules, his boxes of books being

slung over the backs of a troop of these hardy animals, which carried him through forests and deserts, over precipitous paths and rocky mountain passes, along the outskirts of the perpetual snows of the Andes, and into the tropical confines of Bolivia."

CONCLUSION.

In concluding, the Report says: "While many have been discussing more earnestly than ever the meaning of God's Word, and the exact nature of its authority, your Committee have diligently sought to spread that Word amongst all nations. Yet they have not been uninterested spectators of the conflict; nor could they have had any heart to pursue their work, but for the two-fold conviction that the Bible is the Word of God, and that its entrance does give light to the soul. If it were full either of human fraud or of human error, the Society would have but a poor aim before it; no book of man's making can be worth such prodigious labours to send it over the earth. But if, as your Committee firmly believe, it is impossible to get rid of the Divine inspiration of the Bible, and that blessed Volume does really convey the great Father's own message of redeeming love to His wandering children, then not only are all the present pains well bestowed, but a greatly increased energy is demanded in making known to mankind this gift of God, which all have a right to possess, but which has been brought as yet to comparatively so few."

In conclusion, the Directors of the Upper Canada Bible Society would ask the prayers of all Christians, that it may be guided at the present important period of its history by Him, from whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed; and that the people of this Province may be more and more awakened to the duty and privilege of helping to circulate God's Word throughout the Dominion, and throughout the world.

OPERATIONS OF THE DEPOSITORY DURING THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31ST, 1878.

Issued to Auxiliary and Branch Societies, to the trade &c,:—Bibles, 15,-627; Testaments, 11,393; Portions, 297—total, 27,317.

Issued to colporteurs;—Bibles, 2485; Testaments, 3075; Portions, 16—total, 5576.

Cash sales from Depository:—Bibles, 1950; Testaments, 1886; Portions, 319—total, 4155.

Gratuitous issues from Depository:—Bibles, 976; Testaments, 511, Portions, 234—total, 1721.

Total issues for the year, 38,769.

Issues in Foreign Languages (included in above total): German, 716; French, 511; Greek, 75; Gaelic, 64; Hebrew, 61; Latin, 38; Swedish, 21; Italian, 19; Icelandic, 10; Norwegian, 8; Chinese 8; Spanish, 6; Ojibway, 4; Welsh, 3; Irish, 3; Dutch, 3; Russian, 2; Armenian, 2; Syriac, 2; Hindustani, 2;—total, 1558.

Issues of portions for the Blind (also included above) 23.

Increase of issues over those of previous year, 595.

Total issues of the Upper Canada Bible Society since its commencement, 1,049,486.

Stock on hand at beginning of year:—8,093 Bibles; 9,914 Testaments: 2,500 Portions—value $7,150.53.

Received from the Parent Society during the year:—18,768 Bibles; 14,-283 Testaments; 2133 Portions;—value $11,309.16.

Stock on hand at close of year:—5933 Bibles; 7367 Testaments; 3671 Portions:—value $6385.10.

EXTRACTS FROM AGENTS' REPORTS.

Rev. J. Alexander.—" Immediately on securing my commission, I communicated with the several branches, appointing or rather proposing the time of meeting for each locality, and in most cases received prompt replies acquiescing in my arrangements.

The earliest date I could fix on for commencing my work was the 19th Nov., so as to give time for local arrangements, and possible alterations of my plan in its details, which circumstances might render necessary, and which in the issue I found to be unavoidoble. * * *

"Monday, 19th November.—I visited Aylmer, and was kindly received at the station by the Rev. J. R. Davis, Minister of the Church of England, a brother whose sympathies are thoroughly enlisted in the cause of Bible circulation. The meeting was held in the spacious Methodist Church, and was I believe, larger than any previous Bible meeting for years. The Rev. Messrs. Davis (Episcopal), Brethour (Methodist), Stansbury (Baptist), assisted, and greatly lightened the labour of your agent. * * *

"Nov. 20th.—I hastened to Iona, so as to take part in the thanksgiving service for the day. My presence at that service gave me the opportunity of advertising our evening Bible Meeting, and whether that helped or not I do not say, but certainly we had a most successful meeting. The night was dark and wet, the roads were very bad, but the Methodist Church was filled, and the pastors of the Methodist, and Free Will and Regular Baptist congregations gave us their hearty co-operation. In Mr. Siddel, and those associated with him in office, I found a band of efficient workers. The stock in the Depository was small, but selected with great care, well placed and well kept. *

"Saturday, Sunday and Monday, 24th-26th Nov. were, according to previous arrangements spent in St. Thomas, where I thought I might be useful. Appointments had been made for me in the Methodist and First Baptist churches, where I preached forenoon and evening to large congregations on the Lord's Day. * * At the public meeting on Monday, I think we had all the Protestant ministers of the town, except those who were away from home. * * *

"The worthy President, Rev. Mr. Rowland, spoke in behalf of the Bible Society, as one deeply interested in its work, as did also Messrs. Williams and Brown, who, with the agent, were the speakers of the evening. Though the contribution of this branch, last year, was fair, we hope to see it largely increased this year. * * *

"On reaching the cheerful home of J. H. Sharon, Esq., at Frome, near the intersection of the St. Clair branch of the S. R., and the G. W. Air Line, I received a hearty welcome from my host and his genial wife. The night was so unfavourable that my worthy friend Mr. Sharon questioned whether or not it would be worth while walking through mud and wet to the Methodist

Chapel, as the probability was that our meeting would be a failure. But as I had in this as in other cases, strongly urged by letter that every effort be put forth to make the meeting a success, it was determined to put in an appearance ; and I was richly rewarded for so doing, by seeing the Chapel filled with a large and appreciative congregation. One of the patriarchs of the neighbourhood, the venerable Thomas Sharon presided, whose deeply spiritual utterances struck the key-note of the meeting. * *

"In *Westminster* I found a band of substantial givers and workers, and the report that the collections were already $30 in advance of last year's contribution, with more to follow, was a token of what might be expected. * Thomas Fleming, the President, and those associated with him, are men of most sterling material, genuine descendants of the old Covenanters: while the lady workers are worthy of honourable mention with the names of "Phœbe," and those women who laboured with the Apostle in the Gospel.

"Tuesday, Dec. 11th.—Thirty-four miles by rail, and fourteen by stage over a road which threatened to dislocate every bone in my body, brought me to Vienna, where everything was in readiness for the evening meeting, held in the Church of England. The night was clear, the Church well lighted and comfortably warmed, the congregation good, and the selections by the choir very appropriate, all of which contributed to the success of the meeting.

"But especially a special sermon, preached the Sunday preceding the annual meeting, advocating the claims of the Bible Society, and giving information as to its history and working, by the Rev. Dr. Schulte, the Rector, did great service. * * * *

"The Depository is a model in every respect, kept by Mr. Wildren, Druggist. * * I found the report of the Vienna meeting had reached Port Burwell before the agent, and was so favourable that we had a crowded house in the evening. Here again, everything had been done by the Ministers and local brethren, to contribute to the success of the Anniversary.

What I said of the Vienna meeting and Depository, I might repeat of Port Burwell. * * * * *

"The work has been, on the whole, exceedingly pleasant, and thoroughly congenial. I have benefitted both in health and spirits, and I pray and hope that my visits may be blessed to the branches, and to the furtherance of the great cause of the Bible Society.

Rev. Dr. Bell.—"*Paisley.* Meeting large and interesting. Society well managed and prosperous.

"*Arran,* Jany. 24.—The meeting was held in Tara, and it was a large and enthusiastic one. The amount collected last year $30.80, appears small for a branch which seems so prosperous and so well managed ; but it is to be remembered that Arran, like all the surrounding country, is only now beginning to recover from the terrible depression caused by the failure of the harvest of 1876, and better hopes are entertained for the future. The sales were $35.88, and the grant to the U. C. B. S. and the parent Society were $30. A very pleasing feature of the Anniversary at Tara, was a Children's Bible Society Meeting held just before the public meeting. To this the Sabbath Schools had been invited and all arrangements had been made by the excellent Secretary, E. A. Noble, Esq. I had much pleasure in addressing the children, and thankfulness for the opportunity of doing so. The children took up a collection of $2.01. * * * *

"*Pinkerton,* Jany. 28.—Good meeting and good work being done.

"The depositories are all in good condition, and the books are kept in suitable places. * * * *

Rev. Dr. Beaumont.—"I took care again to have the benefit of that important aid to evening meetings—good moonlight—and made my commencement on Nov. 12th. * In one place only were the collections made previously to the meeting. At all the other places I laid special stress upon the importance of remitting the monies to be collected within one month of my visit, and I have reason to believe that my request will be complied with. I have not encouraged the officers of the branches to purchase a larger stock than is needed, believing that it is not desirable to have an unnecessarily large quantity of books on hand when sales are very limited. But I have called attention to the importance of sending free contributions as largely and generously as their means will permit. * *

"*Corunna*, Thursday, Nov. 15.—It was remarked by the chairman at the close of the proceedings here that it was perhaps the most interesting meeting they had yet had in Corunna. A great deal of the interest was owing to narratives of personal knowledge of the Bible Society's work in Turkey by the Rev. Mr. McCutcheon, and in South America, by Capt. McGlashan. *

"*Petrolia*, Friday, Nov. 16.—This Branch was last year almost defunct. I then spent Saturday and Sunday in efforts on behalf of the Society, and if we may judge by results this year, the time was well spent. Bible work in Petrolia is now in a flourishing state. For this greatly improved condition of things much is owing to the able and business-like Secretary, Mr. Noble, who has devoted a great deal of valuable time to the interests of this Branch. The meeting was animated and encouraging, all the resident ministers being present, and taking an active part in the proceedings. . . . .

"*Napier*, Monday, Nov. 19th.—Good roads, good moonlight, and a good meeting. I felt some extra interest in this meeting, being the first since I founded this Branch about a year ago, and it proved to be one of the best in my station. Valuable assistance was rendered at the meeting by Rev. Mr. McDonald and Rev. Mr. Russell.

Rev. George Burson.—"*Nairn Branch.*—The meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church, which was crowded to its utmost capacity, the meeting being the most enthusiastic I have attended. The pastor of the church and the Methodist minister gave us good speeches. The returns will be in advance of last year. This is a most encouraging branch. *

"Nov. 19.—Visited Alberton, where we had a fine meeting. The Rev. J. H. Ratcliff, of Ancaster, being present, gave us an interesting address. This branch promises well for this year.

"On the following evening I visited Jerseyville. The meeting was not large, but with the present officers this branch will reach its former prosperity.

"We had an encouraging meeting at Oakville on the 21st, one of the resident ministers present. This branch is in good hands, and will sustain its character for liberality. * * *

"I am persuaded that what is needed to increase the funds of our Society, is to give the people the fullest information possible; and when they know what we are doing and the needs of the field, there will be no lack of means. I have to testify most gratefully to the uniform kindness and courtesy with which I was received by the office-bearers of the various branches."

Rev. John Bredin.—"The stock in the several branches is neatly kept, and in nearly all the places assigned to me for visitation the local officers are active and zealous. With two exceptions all the branches are in a healthy

condition, and the prospects for a satisfactory increase in the "free grants" department are very encouraging. In every instance I was cordially received and ably assisted by the resident clergy."

Rev. J. Davidson.—"The meetings at the above branches, though not so large in several instances as we could wish, were upon the whole pretty good. With few exceptions your agent visited the schools in the villages, addressed the pupils, and urged their interest and attendance. * *

"I have good reason to think that the amounts forwarded will not fall short of previous years. Collectors for each school section were appointed, and no effort spared to create and sustain an interest in the Society's work."

Rev. J. Duncan.—"Both Ravenswood and Jura were visited, but owing to the state of the roads and the intense darkness of the night, on both occasions, the attendance was so meagre that I concluded to give each of them a Bible Service at an early date. As these branches are within eight and nine miles respectively of Forest, I can do so without much inconvenience, and it will be without additional expense to the Society. The interest in Bible Society work is increasing in Ailsa Craig. We had a large and enthusiastic meeting. * Of Nairn, I cannot speak, save in terms of unqualified commendation. The large church was about filled with persons, young and old, who had come on a dark night too, six, seven, and even eight miles. *

The people here feel a real hearty interest in the work of Bible circulation, and I am persuaded give it their support from intelligent and conscientious convictions. * * *

Lucan is decidedly improving. We met this year in the Episcopal Church of which the Rev. Mr. Logan, a warm friend of the Bible Society, is the officiating minister. The meeting was larger than usual.

Rev. W. B. Evans.—*Vittoria*, Tuesday, Nov. 13.—This Branch had been quite asleep, but we had the largest meeting they had held for many years, and all promised to be "up and doing."

The officers undertook to hold meetings at Ryerse, Normandale and Charlotteville Centre, and appoint collectors so as to swell the contributions. The Depository had been compelled to keep the books up stairs for a long time, but he brought them down and placed them in a good position. *

On Sunday the 18th, I preached at Dover, St. John's, Woodhouse, and Simcoe, where I pointed to the preciousness of the word, and urged all to have an interest in the good work of circulating the Bible. * *

Simcoe.—The town and vicinity there, appeared to be awakening. The Depository has done very little for months, as the store in which it is kept was undergoing repairs—it will soon be in a very good position. The stock is very large and a payment on purchase account is shortly to be made as well as the proceeds of collectors' reports, to be sent as free contributions.

Rev. James Grant.—Permit me to preface my observations by saying that I found much difficulty in getting the Secretaries of the Branches to try to fall in with such arrangements as would enable me to visit several of them in succession, and so save unnecessary expense to the Society. But as a set-off, from such information as I could gather, I was able, I think, to leave the Branches after my visit, in a much more healthy state than they have been for some time. * * * *

Port Colborne.—This Branch has been in a very low state, but through the influence of Rev. Mr. Blackie, Baptist Minister, and others, is reviving fast. The friends are very sanguine of substantial results this year.

Cheapside was all but dead. I set six collectors to work, two from each of

the three churches of the village, and the spirit of the meeting was so good that although only $10 were raised last year, they are to make an effort to raise $50 this year.

At *Nanticoke*, the meeting was good, although the night was unfavourable. After my address, the Rev. Mr. Johnson (Church of England), spoke very earnestly and heartily in support of the Bible Society's work. * * *

Dunnville.—Meeting very encouraging. The Christian people here seemed to be much interested in the operations of the Society.

Rev. John Gray.—"In presenting you with a detailed account of my work in connection with the Upper Canada Bible Society, I have very much pleasure in being able to say that, with the blessing of God, I have succeeded with much pleasure and considerable comfort in visiting all the branches that have been assigned to me. With but one exception. I was met by a considerable number of people at the annual meetings of the Branches. *

"*Dresden* was our next meeting. Here we found our venerable friend the Rev. W. Clarke, for many years the efficient President of the Society. Though enfeebled in health with old age, he has lost none of his interest in the work of the Bible Society. * * *

"Dr. Beaumont was unable to be present, though he is our most active Secretary and friend of the Society. * * *

"Our meeting in *Chatham*, on the 15th, in St. Andrew's Church, was considered by all a very large and successful one. Rev. W. Walker, your honoured President there, with Revs. Battersby, Lewis and Patterson, took part in the proceedings of the evening. The report of the Secretary and Depository already showed that the friends of *Chatham* are alive to the interests of the Society. The collection was liberal, and a most complete band of lady collectors, representing all the churches of the town, was appointed to solicit subscriptions in all parts of the town. The Depositary, K. Urquhart, Esq., very kindly and efficiently discharges the duties of his office, and the amount of sales during the year was very encouraging. * *

Rev. W. S. Griffin.—*Drummondville.*—An excellent meeting, efficient officers, faithful collectors and a peeple deeply interested in the Bible cause. Liberal returns, much in advance of last year.

Clifton.—Good turn out; all the ministers of the place heartily co-operated in the meeting, and actively aiding the Society. Depository small but efficient, and financial returns good for the year. * *

Niagara.—The anniversary meeting here was very successful. Under the efficient management of the Sec.-Treas. this Branch is kept in a healthy and vigorous state, and will do better this year than for years past. *

North Pelham.—A very fine meeting; good officers, who thoroughly manage their work; a country place that would shame many a town. On the whole, I have been pleased and encouraged with my visits this year. Taking the whole assigned me, you may expect a decided increase on former returns.

Rev. S. Kappelle.—*Tavistock*, Oct. 9.—Wet weather, bad roads, but a very good meeting, though not so large as it would have been under more favourable circumstances. This young Branch seems to take good root, but needs encouragement and nourishment. The two German ministers in the place are hearty friends of the Society. The books are in a very good place, and the Depository takes a good deal of pains to sell the Society's books, and advertises them even at his own expense. * *

Elmira, Oct. 17.—Meeting not so large as it might have been—there was

some oversight in the announcement for the meeting in the German Churches. As the Germans are very strong in this place, we depend on them a great deal for the strength of this Branch. The Society has many warm friends here, and I hope the Branch will help more largely in the promotion of the Society. Depository prospering.

Winterbourne, Oct. 18.—Meeting very good and enthusiastic; this is a vigorous, deep-rooted Branch; had a good time, and I trust this year's contribution will be good.

Sebringville, Nov. 22nd.—"On my second visit to this place we had a very well attended and influential meeting in the Evangelical Church in the forenoon. The Rev. C. Braun, the President of the Branch, and his presiding elder, the Rev. W. Ellis, who presided at the meeting, gave us their hearty assistance and spoke quite a length of time in both languages, and by the spirit that was manifested, I trust that this Branch will come up to the expectations of the best of its members and officers. The German element is very strong here and in the neighbourhood. * *

Zurich, Nov. 26th.—"On Sunday afternoon, I preached to a large German congregation about four miles from Zurich, and on Monday evening we had a public meeting where I explained and enlisted the sympathies of the people in behalf of the Society, and formed a Branch. Collectors were appointed, and I encouraged the friends to do the best they can to strengthen the Branch.

Berlin, Jan. 21st.—"I visited Berlin, where everything was well arranged. The meeting was a grand one; and I can truly say it was a high spirited one.

Rev. James Little.—*Stratford*.—"We had a good meeting—everything prosperous and harmonious in the working of the Branch.

Mitchell.—Depository well kept in a store on the principal street—meeting held in town hall—all the ministers of the town present. They have not extended their canvass to the country around heretofore—I spoke to them about having country collectors. The suggestion was well received, and I hope they may act upon it, as the district around Mitchell is very wealthy. I think all the Branches in my section are in a healthy and vigorous state, except Milverton.

Rev. C. R. Matthew.—"Upon appointment I immediately entered into communication with the Secretaries, &c., of the different Branches, and received favourable replies from all save one. * * *

That afternoon drove in rain to Solina, where the secretary, W. Werry, Esq., hospitably entertained me. The meeting took place at Eldad, B.C. Church, and owing in part, at least, to sticky roads and dark nights, was but thinly attended. But the audience was most attentive. To the President's place, vacant by the death of a most respected and active adherent of the Bible Society, A. Washington, Esq., the meeting elected Peter Werry, Esq., one of the pioneers of the neighbourhood, a fine specimen of the old Cornish Methodists. As nothing had been done at this Branch last year, I drove several miles round the neighbourhood next morning, getting the ladies appointed to the office of collectors to promise that they would discharge their duty. The "*Recorder*" had not been very regularly received—urged attention to its distribution and perusal. * * *

In Orono, they said that the meeting held, when thrown upon their own resources, was the most successful they ever had.

In *Bowmanville*, the opinion seemed to be that it made no difference in their meetings. If I might venture to suggest, I would say that good sized

hand-bills with blanks for time and place to be filled in by the agent, to be placed beforehand in the shop windows at each place where meetings were to be held, would assist in keeping them before the people's mind, and help materially to advertise these affairs. In conclusion, I would hope that the labour of your agent has not been altogether thrown away, and that the experience acquired in the actual management of the work may prove of use in the future. The work of addressing the various Branches has necessitated a closer acquaintance with its work, and has endeared the Bible Society more than ever to his own heart.

Rev. J. L. Murray.—"On Monday, Jan. 14, I visited Cannington Branch and addressed a very large meeting, the largest (as the officers affirmed) that was ever held there, in connection with the Bible Society. The Branch is in excellent working order, and everything in connection with it is conducted in a business-like way. The contributions of last year were upwards of $100, and, judging from the enthusiasm of the meeting and the expectations of the office-bearers and friends present, the contributions of the present year are to be largely in excess of those of any previous year in the Branch's history. All the resident clergy were present, and aided in no small degree in giving tone to the meeting, and securing success. * *

It is a pleasure to visit and address the Branch at Uxbridge. The officers are efficient, the cause is popular, and the contributions are creditable. $104 were collected there since the meeting was held. The resident clergy were present and gave stirring addresses. The Depository, under the management of Mr. Weeks, is well conducted.

"Wednesday, February 6.—Visited the Scarboro' Branch, which is one of the most spirited and efficient in the entire list of the Society's Branches. The meeting was held in St. Andrew's Church, and was very largely attended. A profound interest is here taken in the object of the Bible Society. Revd. Messrs. McGillivray and McKay, delivered pithy and pointed addresses at the meeting, and otherwise aided in making it a success. The reports of the Treasurer and Secretary were creditable to their own business capacity, and to the Christian liberality of the people of Scarboro'. * *

"From this report you will perceive that there is a wide difference in the comparative vigour of even adjacent Branches. I deeply regret, that in so many localities throughout Ontario, very little interest is felt in the cause of the Bible Society; nor can I resist the conviction that a little more effort on the part of clergymen, Branch officers, and perhaps agents, would double the revenue of the Society in one year. One defect is very evident: a large proportion of the Protestant population of our country are not canvassed. Branches dot the country; but a considerable margin between the dots remains untouched. Of all the professed Protestant population of Ontario, more than one-half are not solicited for contributions to this most Christian enterprise. I aimed at enlarging the territory of every Branch I visited, by having an increased number of collectors appointed, who should extend their canvass until they begin to encroach on the territory of the adjacent Branch. I shall be greatly disappointed if the contributions of the eight Branches I visited, do not in the aggregate far exceed their contributions in any former year."

Rev. J. J. Rice.—I have never before noticed so much praiseworthy emulation among Christians of all denominations to show sympathy with the Bible Society, nor such hearty co-operation among the clergymen to secure successful meetings, as this year. And to this your agent attributes, more than to anything else, much of the success and all the pleasure experienced by him in prosecuting the work.

Seeing that the Branch meetings will, as a rule, be held in the autumn of each year, your agent is more than ever convinced that to hold the meetings *after* the collectors have been around is a mistake. If the agents' visit and the annual meeting of a Branch be worth anything, to hold the meeting *before* the collectors begin would certainly be an advantage in arousing local sympathy and augmenting the revenue of the Bible Society. . . .

At London North-West Branch, the President's remarks at the close of the meeting were: 'If the collectors had now to begin their work, this meeting would tell wonderfully in our favour.' * *

Rev. W. M. Roger.—"At *Whitby*, in the Baptist Church, Dec. 18, we had rather a better audience, and a very interesting report from the valuable Secretary, Mr. Ross Johnston.

Much pains seem to have been taken in this branch, by means of district meetings and otherwise, to extend the interest in the Society's operations. The more regular circulation of the *Recorder* was pressed upon them as an additional means within their reach. The depositories, both here and at Oshawa, were visited by your agent. In both places these are in drug stores, well situated, but they hardly receive the space and prominence due to the Society, and necessary to do justice to this part of the Society's work in places like these. I was also struck with the great desirability of something more to call attention to the presence of the Society's Bibles, say a strip or card in large type hung or pasted both in the street window and that of the book-case within. * * * *

In presenting this first report your agent is thankful for the privilege of closer connexion with the Society than heretofore enjoyed, and for such humble service as by God's goodness he has been able to render. *

Rev. W. Shortt.—*Orangeville.*—"I was much pleased with the beautiful exhibit of the Society's publications in this place. Many Bibles are sold.

Mount Forest.—Meeting held in Methodist Church. The minister, Rev. Mr. Foreman, and Rev. Mr. Macmillan, Presbyterian, assisting. Audience larger than any preceding, and apparently much interested. The Secretary and Depositary are evidently the right men, and it is to be hoped the collectors will give a good account of themselves. * * *

Fordwich.—The Depository is well kept by an earnest lover of the Bible and of souls. A revival is in progress in the Methodist Church, in which our meeting was held, so there was a good attendance. Revs. Messrs. Isaacs, of the Methodist, and Racey, of the Church of England, assisted, and I have no doubt a good sum will be collected. * * *

Mackintosh.—A country church and shed, yet my largest and best meeting, Rev. Mr. Stewart, the Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, assisting. Probably 120 were present, and the collection amounted to $7.79. There are some ardent lovers of the blessed Bible in this neighbourhood. Collectors were appointed, and did not at all seem likely to refuse the labour of love. Your agent feels deeply obliged to all for the many acts of kindness and hospitality shown him for the sake of the cause he was advocating.

Rev. R. Torrance.—"Shortly after receiving notice of my appointment, I communicated with each of the branches, specifying the day on which I intended to visit them and requested that due publicity should be given from the pulpit and other quarters when convenient. All the branches fell in with my arrangements except three which agreed upon the days mentioned in the accompanying report. This has led to additional travelling without, I presume, any corresponding benefit.

"In all the branches there were encouraging meetings. The office-bearers seem to give cordial attention to their duties. The people generally are interested in the great work of Bible circulation, and their interest would be still greater if the *Recorder* had a wider circulation. My impression is, that it would be renumerative to have a copy of that periodical left in every family throughout the neighbourhood which the Branch occupies. In all parts I received a most friendly greeting from the resident clergymen, who showed themselves forward to support the Society by word and example.

"In nearly all the branches the depositories are well kept. In some there is room for improvement, and suggestions to this effect were made.

Rev. A. Van Camp.—"At Innerkip we had a large and enthusiastic meeting, and the prospects of the Branch there are good.

Saturday and Sunday I spent at Embro, preaching twice and addressing two Sunday Schools, on the work of the Society.

At Ingersoll I had a very warm reception, and was cheered by the presence of all the ministers of the town, but one, who was necessarily absent from the place. The audience was good and the enthusiasm gratifying.

At Beachville I found the Society just ready to disband, but I ran about the village and drummed up something of an audience; got some new men enlisted and encouraged the rest; and when I left them, I had assurances that the work should be pushed with more vigour.

Rev. John Rennie.—"At *Aberarder*, I was cheered by a large and enthusiastic meeting in the School-house. The Rev. J. B. Duncan, President, had come out from Forest, seven miles through the mud, to attend. I feel confident that this Branch will give a good account of itself when the collectors get through with their work. * * *

My next meeting was at *Camlachie*, in connection with the North Plympton Branch, on December 11th. Here there was a very fair attendance, considering the state of the roads, which at that time were worked up into deep mud. The President, the Rev. J. M. Goodwillie, is most indefatigable in the interest of the Society. There is also an excellent Committee, and I have no fear as to the results of this Branch. * * *

At *Moore Line*, we had a very good meeting in the Presbyterian Church. The Rev. F. Dunn, of the Baptist Church, was present, and gave an excellent address. This Branch is situated, like the North Plympton one, in the heart of a splendid section of country, among well-to-do farmers, and I trust its collectors will return from their labours with good results. * * *

At *Sarnia*, there was an excellent meeting, though not very large. The chair was occupied by the Hon. Alexander Vidal. The Revs. Messrs. Ellerby, Thompson, and Henderson, were on the platform, and took part in the meeting. A very favourable report was read by the Secretary, and a strong determination was manifested to put forth greater efforts in the future than in the past, in behalf of the Bible Society. * * * *

Rev. John Wood.—"The meetings I have attended this year have indicated much greater interest in the Bible Society than for several years past. The attendance has been better, and the preparations more complete. *

At *Greenwood*, at the close of the meeting, a labouring man who had listened most attentively to my account of the work of the Society, and to my appeal for help, stepped up to the table and handed me a $4. bill, saying: "That is for the British and Foreign Bible Society." Such genuine interest

exhibited by a man who earns his living as a day labourer is certainly encouraging.

Rev. W. W. Ross.—*North Sydenham.*—"A large attendance and an excellent meeting—has a model Secretary in Mr. David Ross."

Sutton.—"A revived Branch—a good meeting—gone to work well."

Keene.—"A large and spirited meeting—a worthy Branch."

Norwood.—"An excellent meeting."

Parry Sound.—"The visitation of this Branch always a great pleasure. The officers are among the best, and the public generally are interested, giving us large and enthusiastic meetings with liberal collections."

Picton.—"Revived—Depository doing well—a promising free contribution. Large attendance at public meeting.

Mill Point.—"Coming up—meeting well attended and spirited."

Goderich.—"A large and influential meeting—collectors appointed to canvass the entire community."

Londesboro.—"A most creditable meeting and collection."

Clinton.—"A fine meeting with a noble President."

Lakefield.—"A dark, wet night, yet 400 people present—the different denominations well represented—a delightful meeting—one of the very best."

Warsaw.—"A very bad night, yet a full house and an excellent meeting."

Port Hope.—"An unfavourable night, still, as usual, this Branch gave a good attendance and an excellent meeting."

Wingham.—"Important place—Branch improving—large meeting."

Ripley.—"Night dark and roads very bad, yet house nearly full, many men and women—mostly Highlanders—walking several miles to be present—excellent meeting."

Port Albert.—"Roads very bad, yet church nearly full, the Rev. Mr. Leech, Presb. minister, driving 9 miles and returning the same night, that he might encourage the good cause."

Kincardine.—"A large meeting and very delightful."

Kinlough.—"Wet night, but church full and excellent meeting."

Belgrave.—"Very bad roads, yet a large attendance, numbers of men, and women too, coming on foot several miles—a very excellent meeting."

Brussels.—"All the resident ministers present—an admirable meeting."

Brantford.—"As usual bearing the banner; a noble meeting—her works are too well known to need further reference."

Guelph.—"A bad night, but a good house and a good meeting."

Eramosa.—"Doing nobly."

Janetville.—"Bad night, but full house and excellent meeting."

Omeemee.—"Great improvement—200 present."

Bethany.—"House full—great enthusiasm."

Fenelon Falls.—"Full house, and fine meeting."

Laskey.—"A large meeting and excellent, its worthy Secretary, Rev. Mr. Carmichael, looks well after the interests of the good work."

Temperanceville.—"A new Branch, starting with fine prospects."

Thornhill.—"Though notice of meeting was short, yet an excellent meeting, the Rev. Mr. Fawcett, Meth. Minister doing all he could to secure success, collecting monies himself."

Streetsville.—"Did themselves great honor. The Presb. and Meth. united their congregations for a Sabbath evening service, and followed this up by a well attended and most spirited meeting on Monday night."

Milton.—"Milton worthy of high praise—Town Hall full—great enthusiasm—a wonderful meeting."

Belleville.—"Gave us an admirable meeting, the best for years. This Branch managing its affairs with renewed vigor."

Campbell's Cross.—Considering the very bad roads an exceedingly creditable meeting."

Chesterfield and Ratho.—"This valuable Branch looks well after its work."

Mt. Pleasant, (Brant).—"Gave us an admirable meeting."

Burford.—"This Branch and Mt. Pleasant may be classed together."

Downsview.—Did nobly—the most of the members doubling their subscriptions."

Brampton.—"A marked improvement in this valuable Branch. The Society has noble friends here. Your Agent was greatly cheered by a model committee meeting in business hours, and an excellent public meeting at night.

Rev. A. Young.—"In the month of September last I addressed a postal card to each of the officers of the branches in the section assigned to me, in order to ascertain what time would be convenient for them to hold their annual meetings; and with commendable promptitude on their part, I received replies from them all. Having arranged a scheme of meetings, I issued a notice to each branch of the date of my intended visit, so that the first on my list had fully a month, and the others an increasingly longer period, to make such arrangements and preparations as they might deem necessary or desirable. Everything being thus prepared, I set out on my tour on the morning of Monday, the 12th of November. * * *

"On Sabbath, the 18th of November, I preached in the Presbyterian Church at Grafton, previous to the annual meeting of that branch, to be held on the evening of Monday, the 19th. In the afternoon I preached at Vernonville, where the attendance was very large; and in the evening in the Baptist Church at Wicklow, within the territory of the Vernonville branch. The work of the Bible Society was explained, and I trust these meetings will result in good to the cause by awakening the interest of the people in this community. The Vernonville branch manifests a good deal of life at present, and is well conducted.

EXTRACTS FROM COLPORTEURS' REPORTS.

Mr. John Lowry, Oct., 1877.—"I have visited the following short streets and lanes in the city, viz. : Emma, Britain, St. Andrew, Arthur, Buchanan, Anderson, Osgoode, Hagerman and Dale streets, and Bird's and Cuttel's lanes. At the suggestion of Rev. Mr. Cameron I went to Scarboro', the day of Mr. MacKay's ordination, and my visit was announced, which had a most happy effect. I have sold one hundred and two copies with Psalms and two hundred and twenty without. I have travelled three hundred and eighty-six miles, generally leaving about seven o'clock in the morning, and walking from five to fifteen miles each day. I found four families during the month without Bibles, two in the city and two in the country; one bought a Testament, another, a coloured family, bought both Bible and Testament. I gave a Bible to each of the other two families, one of whom had had none in their house for five years. This was one of the most laborious months that ever I spent in the Master's vineyard, but at the same time one of the most delightful. Several servant boys bought Bibles, and several people bought one for each of their children.

November.—The Lord has opened up a large and effectual door for his own blessed Word. During this month I have been enabled to travel three hundred and fifty-five miles, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, generally leaving about seven o'clock in the morning and sometimes continuing after night. I have made five hundred and seventy-six visits, sold eighty-three Bibles and one hundred and forty-nine Testaments, exclusive of forty-six copies with Psalms. Went to Port Whitby, sold nine Bibles and sixteen Testaments. Sold seven copies in a house where the inmates said they were glad to get such cheap Bibles. They said they should be Catholics if they were anything, but they went to no church. I hoped they would see the value of assembling together as we were taught by the Apostle Paul. This has been a most laborious month on account of so much rain, but what a blessed privilege to scatter so many portions of God's blessed Word beside all waters, knowing the fruits shall appear after many days.

Mr. Wm. MacPhail, May, 1877.—I was in the Township of Hamilton, County of Northumberland. There is a good demand for Bibles, but money is very scarce and very few can afford to buy any. My impression is that, were it not for bad times, I would sell more Bibles there than any place I have ever been, so far as I can judge. Still better times will soon follow, when they will be selling sheep, lambs, fat cattle, &c., so we must not despair but take courage. * * * *

July.— * * There is now no doubt with regard to the people's desire for Bibles, especially the small pica sheepskin, being cheap and so well adapted to those advanced in age. * * *

February, 1878.—There is a general cry of scarcity of money which is justified by all business men in every department of business, from the House

of Parliament to the lowest mechanics. I never felt such a general complaint, and I realize it in my travelling. Two-thirds of what I sold went to pay my lodgings.

Mr. J. Badger, Jany., 1878.—"In leaving home I drove ten miles on the north road to Waulamik, taking west road to the Township of Fergusson. Here, sir, the settlers are thinly scattered through the townships, and near the shores of Coramore Lake. At the head of the lake I again reached the north road and came into the Township of McKellar. Here I found a number of new settlers had come into the township since my visit four years ago. Here, sir, the people were glad to see your colporteur among them once more, and I found some had come in who had not a copy of the Word of God. Travelling still north through the Township of Hagerman, the weather being all that could be desired, and the snow scarcely six inches deep, my labours have not been so hard in getting about from house to house this month as in former years. I am still travelling north, and hope to be able to give you some information of the Nipissing district in my next report. There is still a great scarcity of money in these parts, or my sales would have been much larger. I trust, however, that a kind Providence will watch over me in all my labours next month, and that I may be able to give to your noble Society general satisfaction, is the sincere prayer of your humble servant.

Feby. 1878.—"You will see by my report that I was still travelling north. I crossed the Maganetawan River on the north road in the Townships of Ferry and Gurd. The Government have constructed a new road a distance of twenty-five miles to the Nipissing Road. This was a lonely road to travel with a heavy pack on my back, and only one young man in a small shanty about half-way from the place I left in the morning. I could stay with him but a few minutes as I had fourteen miles further to go before reaching the next stopping place. The young man was staying there alone without a cent of money in his pocket or a copy of the Word of God to cheer him in his lonely hours, while the wolves, which are plentiful, were howling around him. I gave him a Bible and a few words of advice, and hurried on to get through before dark, as it is dangerous to travel after night, although I have had to do it this month in order to find a place to stop for the night, while the wolves were howling very near at hand, nearer than I ever heard them before in all my travels. There are at present but few settlers in Nipissing Township, but the prospect of a railroad on the south of Lake Nipissing is bringing a great number of young men into this district. I sold a few copies of God's Word among them, but many of them were destitute, and I am afraid if the long expected road does not come in a short time a great many will have to suffer, as it costs so much to get provisions in so far back with such bad roads and no sleighing this winter. My visits were from the Nipissing road west to Commanda Lake, and to the east fifteen miles back of Eagle Lake. There is a large number of Catholic families near Commanda Creek. One family told me if I left anything there it should go to the flames. There is much need of a Protestant minister, and the people are wishing one to come to Commanda.

Maganetawan Village is becoming quite a place, and the region around Muck Lake is now settled through from Nipissing to the North road. Having canvassed the whole of the northern district and disposed of nearly all my stock, I returned home.

Mr. F. E. Rouleau.—"May and June, 1877. * * * The next day the first Bible that I disposed of in Emerson was to a half-breed, who told me he had been trying to get a Bible for the last seven years, and did not know where to get one. He had asked a priest who resided in Win-

nipeg for one, but his reply was that he could not understand it, that it would be of no use to him. Applying to another priest he received the same answer. Finally, however, after much pleading this priest promised him one, but he got nothing more than the promise. * *

My success among them was far greater than I expected. Of the 202 volumes that I distributed, 145 were amongst the French and half-breeds. I have found them very ready to accept the Bible when I tell them what it is. I have sold some to some of the most influential men among them. *

Sept. * * One man told me that his grandfather got a Bible from a priest in Quebec, and got quite interested in reading it. After he came to this country the priest tried in vain to get it from him for a time, but at length the Bible disappeared, through the machinations of the priest, he supposed. This man bought one Bible and three Testaments from me, so that they would have one each. He told me that the priest would not see them, and if he did he would not allow him to take them away. Let us pray to God for that family. I think very few of the last copies that I distributed among the French will be destroyed. I had encouraging trips among the French and I think there is something to be done among them.

Jan'y. 1878.—I commenced this month in St. Peters' Reserve among the Indians. The first interesting circumstance was in Clandeboye, on New Year's Eve, when I met a French Roman Catholic, to whom I gave a Bible (de Sacy.) I read and explained to him the points which I thought were the most necessary for him, and continued about the confession, showing him what answer Christ and the Apostles gave when asked "What must I do to be saved?" At twelve o'clock we knelt down and asked the blessing of God to rest upon this friend. After the prayers he said: "Another year is gone. I commence to serve God at the last hour. I hope with the grace of God to practice what we have read this evening." The next morning he commenced to read his Bible as soon as he was up, and I left him rejoicing. After a few days among the Indians I came to Winnipeg, and then went up the Assiniboine River among the French, where I had been before. I found that some Bibles had been burnt and that one Testament had been torn by a boy. He took the cover off, apparently to put it on another book, though he would not acknowledge it to me. He said that the cover came off itself in his trunk. Some who did not buy the first time I was around, after hearing what the priest said, now bought Testaments to see what it could be in those books that the priest was so unwilling that they should read them. Verily the Word of God is sharper than a two-edged sword.

Feb'y.—At the Bible Society's meeting, held on the 5th inst., it was decided that I should go to section 15, Canada Pacific Railway. The next morning I took the train at 3 o'clock and went to the end of the track, which was 48 miles from Winnipeg, and then I walked 15 miles further. There was a camp of twenty-five men. I did not make any sale there. I think they all had Bibles. One man told me that he had a Bible, that he need not purchase any, but he could pay me for one Testament, and that I could keep it with me till I met some one who had none and give it to that person. He gave me twenty-five cents. After I got on section 15, I found many who had no Bible or Testament. There are many Irish and Scotch Roman Catholics. I sold a few copies to the former, and when I came back there the second time I was told by a friend that the other Catholics of that camp who had bought none wished to burn these Bibles because they had no peace at night—they heard nothing but discussion on the Bible. I sold in the French language nineteen Testaments and one Bible. I sold some French in every camp but one on my way back. I found that all those French Testaments

that I had sold were doing good. In one camp on my way back I sold four Testaments in the French language. I met some who had bought Testaments from me when I was on section 14 last summer. They were reading them with interest, and one of them wanted the Old and New Testament together. I found a Testament which I had sold near Emerson last spring and which I had supposed was burnt, but it had been protected from the vengeance of the priests. I could have sold more English Bibles if I had had them with psalms and paraphrases.

Mr. Edward Rothwell, *April*, 1877. * *

"I could give away without limit, but I act strictly according to my instructions. In giving away, I followed this rule: if the party be very old I give a 70c. Bible; if not very old, a 23c. The reductions are made in favour of those who are eager to buy but unable to furnish the cash in full. If I am convinced of the sincerity of the parties, I meet their efforts by a reduction, that is if they stand in need, otherwise I do not. I never make a reduction for bantering. Example:—'I have a Bible which will do for me very well; but the style of this is so clear I would like to have it if you will let me have it for 50c.' 'You say you have a Bible, and I am certain if you want this you are quite able to pay for it, so I can't make any reduction.' 'Why I always thought the Bible Society gave their books for nothing!' 'Not indiscriminately. Any person destitute of the Word of God, and too poor to buy, is entitled to one gratis; but not otherwise.' 'Then you won't take 50c. for it?' 'No ma'm, I must do my duty.' The foregoing is verbatim, my discourse with a wealthy farmer's wife. But generally, I think they would buy if they had the means.

"*May*, 1877. * * *

I met some two or three cases of destitution among the other inhabitants; also in circumstances where it never could be suspected. The people, unasked, told me they had now acknowledged it quite inexcusable, and promised at the first possible opportunity to buy, and not only to buy but to read.

Mr. Jno. Moodie, *August*, 1877.—"I gave a 70c. Bible to a woman with a large family, who was destitute of the Bible. She had only one boy bringing in anything, which, with her own earnings, did not amount to much. I do not believe it to be productive of much good to give gratuitously, as what is paid for appears to be held in more esteem. But this I thought to be a deserving case; I gave a small Bible to an apprentice who had none. Being only an apprentice, he was receiving no wages. I also gave one to a stranger in the place. He was glad of the gift.

"A copy dropped here and there in that way is more apt to open the eyes of the people to the objects of the Bible Society, especially in towns, for when I tell them that the books are sold under cost, they don't understand, and so put it down to fiction.

"I also gave a small Testament to a sailor whom I met, one of a class whose lives are like the element on which they live—ever in motion. He was boisterous at first, but when I told him it was the Word of God, it quieted him. God can, and does, make us respect His laws. He thanked me for the copy, and said he would read it. May God bring him into His own desired haven!

"*September*, 1877.—I sold a Testament to a Catholic woman, the first I think that I ever did. She was one of the most enlightened that I have ever met with. Notwithstanding, your books are so cheap, it is almost impossible to make any sales on account of the scarcity of money."

Mr. J. E. Taylor.—*Aug.*, 1877. "This has been a very encouraging month

to me because I had found the people out in the country so ready to purchase the Scriptures when offered so cheap, and many of them were very thankful for the large print 70 cent Bible. I visited Patterson and sold many of the 84 cent Bible to the young people, so that now they can take them to church with them. This will be a great blessing I believe, when all who go to church will take their Bibles with them . . I visited Thornhill and from the station to the village I sold 18 Bibles and Testaments. The number of families I visited was about ten, that is to say from the station to the village. I state this so that the committee may see that the people are in want and ready to pay for Bibles when taken to them. * * *

September.—I visited Weston and sold a good number of Bibles and Testaments there, and from Weston I went to Aurora. I first called on Rev. Mr. Amos, the President for this year, and stated to him the object of my visit, and I am very thankful for the interview we had together about the work of the Society. I then went from house to house and sold a good number of Bibles and Testaments. I also visited Springhill and King on my way back, and sold many Bibles there. I now left to go to the Exhibition, at Uxbridge. I called upon the Rev. Mr. Davidson, and the Rev. Mr. Cochrane, who treated me very kindly. Many thanks to them for their kindness. The glass case in which the 25 languages are, has created a great interest, and also the 134 languages of St. John, 3. 16., "God so loved the world, &c." A great number visited me, so that I read to hundreds that blessed truth, God's love to all men in Jesus Christ. * * *

October.—I went to the Exhibition at Hamilton, where the people were very much interested in the case of Bibles, and I sold a good number of Bibles and Testaments. The President of the Exhibition gave me a very convenient place, so that I could interest the people in the Society's work. My next place was Brampton, and there also the people evinced considerable interest in the operations of the Society, which I think must eventually reap much fruit thereby. I read John 3. 16, to hundreds of people at the Exhibition. God has said, "My word shall not return unto me void." I now left for Ameliasburg, Prince Edward, twelve miles from Belleville. I went to the Agricultural Show at Roblin's Mills, where the people showed me no little kindness. Mr. Roblin made a stand for my Bibles, so that I could interest the people in the Society's work. Mr. Robinson has been a great help to me in making known to the people what the Society is doing all over the world.

Dec. 1877.—This has been a broken month for me, as I had to go to Toronto for myself, and the first part of the month was so stormy and wet that I could not get about very fast, but still I find the people in want of Bibles, and very willing to purchase them when brought to their houses. * * I have now returned to my field of labour in Prince Edward County again, and my prayer to our Heavenly Father is, that he will bless his Word already in the hands of the people, and that he will give me grace and strength to spend in this blessed service. This is the prayer of my heart.

January, 1878. This has been a very stormy month with rain and snow, so that I have not done so much as I intended to do; but notwithstanding bad roads and rain and snow, I have been much encouraged in my work. I still find a good number very much in want of Bibles, and very thankful to get them so cheap. They want to know how I can sell them so cheap; as they know nothing about the Bible Society, so that I have to explain to them its operations in all parts of the world. I trust that this will induce many to be warm friends of the Society, who up to this time, have been entirely ignorant with regard to the great work it is accomplishing. One Roman Catho-

lic family took a Bible and were very thankful to get it, for they had had neither Bible nor Testament to read for many years.

The prayer of my heart is that God will bless what has been done, and give me grace to glorify Him and be a blessing to my fellow men.

Mr. Wm. Brimstin.—"June, 1877 * * * Poverty is a great drawback on my sales; but I am living in hope that the time is coming when I may be able to do better, both in selling more books and by being more blessed by the hand of the Lord in pointing out to the people the plan of salvation and the way to everlasting life, which is the grandest object a man can have in view. * * *

July * * * I am going now into a very poor part of the country, viz., the north of Bannockburn, and don't know how I may get along, but as they have very few ministers to speak to them there about the salvation of their souls, I trust I may be made a useful instrument in God's hand in bringing good tidings of great joy to many of their log cabins.

September * * * I wanted to visit these back townships, and as there are no other leading roads besides this Hastings Road, I was obliged to halt at the several villages and work the settlements through the bush to each side. The people are poor in these northern townships, and a great many of them live in small shanties, and they are not able to buy books, but I read a portion of God's word to them and make a few remarks upon it as well as I know how. * * *

January, 1878.—I have been all the month diligently trying to circulate the Scriptures, and I must say that it is trying on the constitution going through the snow, water, and desert places to little log houses in remote parts where men who drive horses never go.

My progress has been somewhat impeded by the vast number of sick people on my travels, because there are some places where there are no ministers to attend to their spiritual necessities, and consequently I have to read the Scriptures to them and pray with them. * * *

1877.	Dr.	$ cts.	$ cts.
April 1.	To balance from previous year	.....	1,418 88
1878.			
March 31.	To Cash sales this year.....	1,875 33	
	" Sundry accounts	2,595 01	
	" Colporteurs' sales.....	1,799 94	
	" Auxiliary and Branches, on Purchase Account..	5,350 68	
	" Do do on *Recorder* Account ..	83 00	
	" Free Contributions from Auxiliary and Branches to U. C. Bible Society	10,141 38	
	" Bequests to U. C. Bible Society.....	1,130 00	
	" City subscriptions	1,451 75	
	" Collection at annual meeting (1877)	100 98	
	" Interest on Balances, &c.	133 79	
	" Rents in trust	127 00	
	" Refund of Parliamentary Expenses.....	90 00	
	" Free contributions from Auxiliary and Branches to B. and F. Bible Society	6,046 26	
	" Contributions from Branches to Montreal Auxiliary	241 11	
	" Contributions from Branches to Quebec Auxiliary	72 66	
	" Contributions to French Canadian Missionary Society	96 88	
			31,335 77
	Total	.....	32,754 65

The Treasurer's accounts (from which the above statement has been vouchers, and found correct, and show a balance of $655 19 to the

Toronto, May 8th, 1878.

1878.	Cr.	$ cts.	ts.
March 31.	By British and Foreign Bible Society, for Bibles (including freight)	11,421 48	
	" Duties on importations	534 90	
	" Upper Canada Tract Society, on ac. Branches	358 69	
	" Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society, for Bibles	36 95	
	" Insurance	71 25	
	" Packing cases, $30 89; consular certificates, &c., $26 34	57 23	
			12,480 50
	By B. and F. Bible Society, contributions from Auxiliary and Branches	6,086 26	
	" B. and F. Bible Society, grant by Board (£500)	2,438 73	
	" Quebec Auxiliary, grant by Board and from Branches	572 66	
	" Montreal Auxiliary, from Branches	241 11	
	" French Canadian Missionary Society, from Branches	96 88	
	" Manitoba B. B. S., grant by Board	100 00	
			9,535 64
	By Colporteurs' salaries and expenses	.....	2,080 45
	" Provisional Agents, salaries and expenses	1,953 00	
	" Permanent Agent, salary and expenses	1,603 26	
			3,556 26
	" Secretary, salary	.....	800 00
	" Depositary, proportion of salary	625 00	
	" Assistant do do	550 00	
	" Junior Assistants, do	394 00	
			1,569 00
	By *Recorder* and Annual Report, printing	909 15	
	" Do do postage	127 01	
			1,036 16
	By Miscellaneous printing	221 25	
	" Municipal taxes	186 97	
	" Commission on City subscriptions	163 31	
	" Postages	102 30	
	" Ground rent of premises	63 00	
	" Fuel, gas and water	53 13	
	" Expenses, Anniversary Meeting (1877)	43 50	
	" Expenses of auditing	25 00	
	" Expenses of Deputation to London	19 50	
	" Stationery and petty expenses	163 49	
			1,041 45
	By Balance in Treasurer's hands	.....	655 19
	Total	.....	32,754 65

prepared by the Depositary) have been examined, compared with the credit of the Society in the Treasurer's hands.

SMITH & BADENACH, *Auditors.*

City Subscriptions

TO THE UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.

Allan, Hon G W....$20 00
Alexander & Stark.... 6 00
Armstrong, Philip.... 1 00
Anderson, Mrs 2 00
Aikenhead & Crombie. 2 00
Adamson & Co., Wm 1 00
Aikins, Hon J C..... 2 00
Arnott, Dr 1 00
Adams, J, M D..... 5 00
Armstrong, James.... 1 00
Adams, W C 1 00
Austin, J 1 00
Aikins, James..... 1 00
Anderson, W 1 00
Adamson, Wm 1 00
Alison, Thomas 2 00
Anderson, W 1 00
Allan, Alexander A... 1 00
Armstrong, Thomas.. 1 00
Agnew, Dr 1 00
Armstrong, R..... 1 00
Aikins, W T, M D.... 5 00
Bryce, McMurrich & Co 20 00
Blaikie, John L 5 00
Baldwin, Robert.....10 00
Baldwin, W A..... 4 00
Brown, J & P 1 00
Bugg, John 1 00
Brown, James..... 2 00
Brunt, George..... 1 00
Bolton, J P 1 00
Briggs, Rev W 2 00
Bothwell, R C..... 2 00
Bain John..... 1 00
Baldwin, Mrs E 4 00
Brown Bros..... 2 00
Brown, W..... 1 00
Buchan, H E, M D .. 1 00
Buntin, Bros & Co.... 2 00
Bridgland, J W..... 4 00
Beardmore, George L. 2 00
Burns, Mrs Dr..... 1 00
Brock & Brother, W R 5 00
Bills, J H..... 1 00
Blake, Hon S H..... 5 00
Binty, Miss 1 00
Bell, Mrs Wm..... 1 00
Boulton, John..... 1 00
Bradford, R..... 1 00
Bryce, Thomas 1 00
Briggs, S R 2 00

Beckett, Edward $2 00
Beatty, Chadwick & Biggar 3 00
Brett, Mrs 1 00
Blake, Kerr & Boyd ..20 00
Baldwin, Rev A H.... 5 00
Blain, Mrs D 5 00
Boddy, Rev Samuel J 1 00
Barrett, R G 2 00
Bengough Bros 1 00
Best, Thos 1 00
Ballard, Rev J M.... 1 00
Burns, George F..... 1 00
Belford Bros 1 00
Bridgman, J W 1 00
Ball, George..... 1 00
Bradshaw, John..... 2 00
Barclay, Rev Dr 2 00
Banks, A F 2 00
Banks, G 1 00
Butler, W B 1 00
Birney, J..... 1 00
Brisco, Mrs Wm..... 1 00
Booth, George..... 1 00
Bruce & Co, J..... 1 00
Bell, Robert, M P P.. 1 00
Brandon, J 1 00
Bonnell, Wm 1 00
Bronsdon & Co, J L .. 1 00
Buckland, Geo 1 00
Brodie, R S..... 2 00
Boulton, Francis 1 00
Baldwin, Henry..... 1 00
Badenach, Wm 1 00
Buik, M..... 1 00
Black, Donald..... 1 00
Baldwin, M..... 1 00
Burns, Thomas 1 00
Bethune, James, MPP 2 00
Blachford, H C 1 00
Bailey & Downey 1 00
Banks, G W..... 1 00
Broughall, Rev A J... 1 00
Buell, Mrs A N..... 1 00
Butt, C..... 1 00
Beardmore, M E..... 2 00
Butt, E..... 1 00
Brunell, Wm 1 00
Carruthers, Mrs..... 1 00
Cameron, Hon M C... 2 00
Cuttle, Thomas $1 00
Clark, Dr D 2 00

Campbell, Mrs..... 1 00
Cameron, Alan 2 00
Cramp, Torrance & Co 5 00
Cade, Rev Robert 1 00
Callender, F G 1 00
Crickmore, Mrs 1 00
Carlyle, Wm 1 00
Carlyle, Dr J 1 00
Copp, Clark & Co.... 4 00
Carless, Mrs..... 1 00
Carroll, John 1 00
Cattanach, A J..... 1 00
Caswell, Thomas 1 00
Caston, F A..... 2 00
Christie, A 1 00
Copp, J C..... 1 00
Coyne, Samuel 1 00
Campbell & Son, James 5 00
Campbell, James 2 00
Cooper, George 1 00
Cameron, Alexander.. 1 00
Clark, J P..... 1 00
Cayley, Rev J D 2 00
Clark, H E 2 00
Caven, Rev Principal. 2 00
Cameron, Rev J M.. 2 00
Cash 1 00
Currie, James..... 1 00
Currie, Neil..... 1 00
Close, P G & Co.... . 5 00
Campbell, A H 4 00
Clark, J A 1 00
Crompton, H 1 00
Cain, James..... 1 00
Craig, Mrs 1 00
Coatsworth, E..... 1 00
Clinkinbroomer, C.... 1 00
Cooney, Mrs 1 00
Carmichael, Robert .. 1 00
Clark, S C Duncan .. 2 00
Cheesbrough, Rev H. 1 00
Clyne, Wm 1 00
Cayley, Hon W 5 00
Carter, John 1 00
Carswell, R..... 5 00
Carrie, R 2 00
Cowan, D..... 2 00
Cochrane, Mrs 1 00
Crombie..... 1 00
Carr, Mrs..... 1 00
Cox, James $1 00
Castle, Rev Dr 1 00

C B $2 00
Clark, Mrs 1 00
Christie, Alexander R 2 00
Crane, Mrs 1 00
Campbell, Mrs A 1 00
Dickson, Rev J A R .. 1 00
Davids, Joseph 1 00
Dixon, B H..... 5 00
Drummond, J W 1 00
Dobbin, J H..... 2 00
Downey, John..... 1 00
Dunbar, R..... 1 00
Dewart, Rev E H 2 00
Douse, Rev John 2 00
Donald, R..... 1 00
D S O 1 00
Lavies, Mrs..... 1 00
Dickson, George P.... 2 00
Dunn, Wiman & Co.. 3 00
Dalton Bros..... 1 00
Drysdale, Thomas..... 1 00
Durand, Charles..... 1 00
Downey, Thomas. 1 00
Denison, Mrs 1 00
Dick, Agnes..... 1 00
Duncan, John..... 1 00
D McB.. ..... 1 00
Davison, C 1 00
Denovan, Rev J..... 2 00
Elliot, W 3 00
Evans, George M 2 00
Ewart, John L. 5 00
Eastwood, John..... 1 00
Ellis, J E 2 00
Ewart, Mrs Thomas.. 1 00
Edgar, Rev James 1 00
Ewing & Co..... 1 00
Evans, Dr..... 1 00
Evans, M S 1 00
Elliot, J 1 00
Ellis, Dr 1 00
Ellis, John P 2 00
Evans, Miss..... 1 00
Forest, John 5 00
Fraser. Rev R D..... 1 00
Friend 1 00
Freeland, Mrs..... 1 00
Freeland, Mr 1 00
Fraser, J 1 00
Fleming, James..... 1 00
Fuller, Mrs 1 00
Friend 1 00
Fenton, F..... 2 00
Farley & Son, E..... 1 00
Fisken, John 1 00
Fulton, Alexander T.. 3 00
Fraser, A..... 1 00
Fisher, E F T..... 1 00
Forster 1 00
Fitzgerald, E 2 00
Fulton, J, M D 1 00
Foster, James..... 2 00
Falconer, E 1 00
Faulkner, George 1 00
Friends (10).....10 00
Friend, A..... 2 00

Francis, Charles.....$1 00
Fleming, Andrew 1 00
Geikie, W B, M D . .. 2 00
Galbraith, Christie & Co 5 00
Grasett, Very Rev Dean 5 00
Galbraith, Wm 2 00
Gordon, Alexander .. 2 00
Graham, J E, M D .. 1 00
Green, Rev Dr 2 00
Greene, Rev Richard.. 2 00
Gillespie, John 5 00
Gzowski, Lieut-Col.... 4 00
Gunther, M..... 1 00
Gunn & Co, D..... 1 00
Gemmel, A 5 00
Gzowski & Morse 1 00
Gooderham & Worts.. 5 00
Gregg, Rev Prof..... 2 00
Gemmel, A 1 00
Gilmor, R..... 4 00
Gibb, L..... 1 00
Gartshore, Mrs 1 00
Gaston, N T 1 00
Griffith, Thomas..... 1 00
Gowans, J 2 00
Gilray, Rev Alex..... 1 00
Gamble, C 4 00
Goodenough, W 1 00
Gale, J W..... 1 00
Gordon, Wm 1 00
Gooch, R M..... 1 00
Gooderham, James. .. 4 00
Galt, Judge..... 2 00
Gibson, D..... ..... 1 00
Greene, C H..... 1 00
Galley, Mrs..... 1 00
Gale, Rev Thomas.... 1 00
Gazzols, P D 1 00
Gordon, John 2 00
Gillespie, George E.. 1 00
Grasett, C S..... 1 00
Harrison, G..... 5 00
Heward, Mrs Stephen. 5 00
Hodgson & Boyd 5 00
Hillock, Frank 1 00
Hay & Co, R..... 2 00
Haldane, B 2 00
Hook, Thomas..... 1 00
Hunter 1 00
Hunter, Rev S J..... 1 00
Hunter, R J 1 00
Harvie, John 1 00
Higgins, David 2 00
Hamilton, George E.. 1 00
Hillock, J..... 1 00
Hooper, E..... 1 00
Hoyles, N W 5 00
Harris, Miss..... 2 00
Hughes, W J 1 00
Hodgins, Thomas, M P P..... 2 00
H C..... 1 00
Hall, C B, M D..... 2 00
Hagerty, Mrs 2 00

Hodgins, Dr J Geo....$2 00
Hobbs, James 2 00
Hobson, E.... ..... 2 00
Hogg, Mrs R, York Mills 1 00
Haight, Miss..... 1 00
Howland, Hon W P.. 1 00
Hutchinson 2 00
Hughes, James 1 00
H J R 1 00
Hird, Fyfe, Ross & Co 1 00
Howard, Miss..... 1 00
Hamilton, Alexander. 1 00
Hamilton, W B..... 1 00
Harper, J..... 1 00
Howland, W H 5 00
Hunter, O A 2 00
Henry, Mrs Edward.. 1 00
Ince, T Henry..... 2 00
Innes, J..... 1 00
Inglis, Rev Wm..... 1 00
Ireland, J M 1 00
Inglis, Russell..... 1 00
Ireson, Wm..... 1 00
Ireland, J..... 1 00
Jacques, Mrs 1 00
Jones, Mrs E C 1 00
J M..... 1 00
Johnson, Thomas H.. 1 00
Jarvis, E J 1 00
Jeffery, Rev T W..... 1 00
Jarvis, Fred W 2 00
James, R 1 00
Jones, W W 1 00
Jones, W R 1 00
Johnson, James 1 00
Kerr, John 5 00
Kay, John 5 00
Kingstone, F W..... 5 00
King, Rev John M .. 2 00
Kirkland, Thomas.... 2 00
Kane, Mrs Paul..... 2 00
Kennedy, Warring.... 5 00
Keith, David L 2 00
Kilgour, Robert..... 2 00
Kerr, Wm..... ..... 2 00
Kent Bros..... 1 00
Kerr, George 1 00
Kent, H..... 1 00
Kerr, J 1 00
Knapp, F A..... 1 00
Kingston, Professor .. 2 00
King, Rev J D 1 00
Kent, J..... 1 00
Kirk, Thomas..... 1 00
Kidd, Mrs 1 00
Lyman, Bros & Co .. 5 00
Lewis & Son, Rice ..10 00
Lailey & Co, Thomas. 2 00
Leadley, E 2 00
Loudon, J..... 1 00
Lyon, J F..... 4 00
Lee, Walter S..... 2 00
Litster, Mrs A..... 1 00
Laird, R W..... 1 00
Lawson, A..... 4 00

Leys, Mrs J.....$2 00
Lawrence, Rev George 1 00
Lugsdin & Barnett.... 1 00
Lang, W J 1 00
Lake, Rev John L.... 1 00
Lugsdin, J 1 00
Langley & Burke..... 2 00
Laidlaw, Mrs G..... 2 00
Lee, Thomas H 1 00
Livingstone, L M.... 2 00
Lesslie, James.....10 00
Leslie, George..... 1 00
Love, Neil C 1 00
Latch, William 1 00
Leslie, James.....10 00
Lover of the Bible.... 1 00
Lewis, D 1 00
McMaster, Hon Wm..25 00
McMaster, A R & Bro.10 00
MacLennan, James.. 2 00
McBean, John..... 5 00
McIlmurry, Dr..... 5 00
McGee, D 1 00
Mitchell, James..... 1 00
Mara, Thomas..... 2 00
MacDonnell, Rev D J. 5 00
McIntosh, W..... 1 00
More, Miss..... 1 00
Mason, A J..... 2 00
Michie, James..... 5 00
Matthews & Brothers, H J..... 1 00
Matheson, H..... 1 00
Matthew, Henry..... 1 00
McCausland, J 2 00
McKinlay, A..... 1 00
McCord, A T..... 2 00
Macdonald, J H..... 2 00
McLaren, Rev Professor 4 00
Moxon, Rev George H 1 00
Miller & Co, Adam... 2 00
Mead, Joseph H..... 2 00
McPherson, Hon D L. 4 00
M R K..... 4 00
Moore & Co, C..... 2 00
Matthews, W D..... 2 00
Mowat, Hon O..... 4 00
McLean, Miss..... 1 00
McCulloch, Peter..... 2 00
Marks, Wm..... 1 00
Magrath, Charles..... 1 00
Mitchell, Wm..... 1 00
McMurrich, W Barclay 4 00
McHardy, J..... 1 00
McGregor, P..... 2 00
Marshall, J..... 1 00
Milligan, Rev J M.... 2 00
McMichael, J W..... 1 00
Mason, Risch & Newcombe..... 2 00
Monro, George 2 00
McKee, John..... 1 00
Mortimer, Herbert.... 2 00
Matheson, Angus..... 1 00
Morrison, Wells & Gordon..... 3 00

Moffatt, Colonel.....$5 00
Morrow, John..... 1 00
Mason, J Herbert.... 4 00
McCraken, Thomas... 2 00
McLean, Robert..... 1 00
Macdonald, J K..... 2 00
Morphy, G M..... 2 00
Merryfield, R..... 1 00
McDonald..... 1 00
Martin, M J..... 1 00
Millard, Rev W..... 2 00
Morphy, George..... 2 00
Maclean, W..... 1 00
McKinnon, Proctor & McColl 1 00
McDonald, A 1 00
McMichael, J 1 00
Maddock, Rev H T... 1 00
Matthew, Rev G R... 1 00
McLean, D..... 5 00
Millar, D..... 1 00
Morphy, H B 2 00
McGee, James 2 00
McBean, Wm..... 1 00
McColl, A B..... 1 00
McCollum, Rev. J H.. 1 00
MacGee, Mrs..... 1 00
McFarlane, L..... 1 00
Monteith, Wm..... 1 00
McNabb, James..... 1 00
Mitchell, Rev David.. 1 00
McDiarmid, Rev Hugh 1 00
MacMurchy, A..... 1 00
MacPhail, M..... 1 00
Malcolm..... 1 00
Miller, Hugh..... 1 00
Marwood, M A..... 1 00
Moore, C A..... 1 00
McCutcheon, Mrs.... 1 00
McLean, Thomas..... 1 00
McBean, James..... 1 00
Macdonald, Hon John A 5 00
Manley, Rev J G..... 1 00
Martin, James..... 1 00
Nasmith, J D..... 2 00
N Q E..... 2 00
Nairn, Stephen 1 00
Neville, Mrs E..... 1 00
Nasmith, M..... 2 00
Ogilvie & Co..... 3 00
Ogden, Dr W W..... 1 00
Ogden, Dr U..... 1 00
Osler, Rev H B, York Mills..... 1 00
Oldwright, Dr..... 2 00
Oal, G..... 1 00
Oshawa Cabinet Co... 1 00
O'Brien, E R..... 1 00
Page & Sons, C..... 1 00
Pollard, M $2 00
Patterson, James..... 00
Perry, Mrs E..... 2 00
Potts, Rev John..... 1 00
Palmer, E J..... 2 00
Pim, Joseph..... 2 00

Paterson, John A.....$1 00
Perkins, Fred..... 5 00
Proudfoot, Judge..... 2 00
Perkins, Ince & Co.... 4 00
Riddell, John 2 00
Rennie, Wm..... 1 00
Rogers, James H 1 00
Reid, Rev Dr..... 1 00
Reikie, Rev T M..... 1 00
Reeve, Dr R A..... 1 00
Robertson, Son & Co.. 2 00
Ross, James, M D.... 1 00
Rogers, Samuel..... 2 00
Richardson, Dr..... 5 00
Risk, Miss 2 00
Rattray, Rev T..... 1 00
Robinson, C..... 2 00
Rattray, Alex..... 1 00
Robinson, Slade, M D. 1 00
Ryerson, Rev Dr E .. 4 00
Rogers, Mrs..... 1 00
Robinson, C B..... 1 00
Roaf, William..... 2 00
Robertson, John Ross. 1 00
Rose, Rev S..... 1 00
Ramsay & Co, Wm... 1 00
Ross, Rev W W 2 00
Ross, Mrs..... 2 00
Ross, Roddie & Warner 1 00
Rodden, Mrs C P..... 1 00
Robb, A 1 00
Roper F..... 1 00
Scarboro' Primitive Methodist Church. 1 00
Scott, James..... 2 00
Smith, James..... 2 00
Sheppard, W H..... 1 00
Smith, Rev John..... 1 00
Sanson, Rev Alex..... 4 00
Smith, Larrat W..... 2 00
Savrey, M..... 1 00
Sutherland, Rev A.... 2 00
Stibbs, James 2 00
Stitt, Mrs James..... 3 00
Shields, James..... 1 00
Swan Bros 1 00
Sheard, Joseph..... 2 00
Strachan, Mrs..... 2 00
Sweetnam, M 2 00
Spruell, Samuel..... 2 00
Stock, George B..... 1 00
Stephenson, E 2 00
Severs, J..... 4 00
Score, R..... 1 00
Sampson, A 4 00
Strickland, W R..... 2 00
Snarr, Thomas 2 00
Sharp, Mrs 1 00
Silcox, Rev J B..... 1 00
Sutherland 2 00
Steele, R C..... 2 00
Snarr, G E..... 1 00
Stayner, Mr..... 2 00
Stephens, Joseph..... 1 00
Samuelson, J..... 1 00

Stewart, F W	$1 00	Thompson, J B	$1 00	Wilson & Sons, H A	$1 00
Stewart, R	1 00	Tupper, J Stewart	1 00	Walton, G A	1 00
Scott, P A	1 00	Tully, R	1 00	Webber, Rev G	1 00
Smith, Robert Hall	1 00	Usher, Rev B B	1 00	Wilson, Mrs C	1 00
Squire, Thomas	1 00	Unwin, Charles	1 00	Willmott, Dr J B	1 00
Stewart, Wm	1 00	Vidal, B H	1 00	Wilson, C	1 00
S B	1 00	Vandersmissen, H	1 00	Wilkinson, W C	1 00
Staunton, W H	1 00	Vandersmissen, E	1 00	Wilson, Mrs D A	1 00
Sparrow, W H	1 00	Vandersmissen, W H.	1 00	Wilson, Wm	1 00
Stupart, R D	1 00	Wilkes, R	5 00	Whittmore, F B	1 00
Sears, Robert, senr	2 00	Wyld & Darling Bros.	5 00	Walker, D	1 00
Stupart, Mrs	1 00	Watson, James	1 00	Wallace, Rev R	1 00
Scott, Mrs	1 00	Whatmough, C T	1 00	Walton & Sackman	1 00
Silvester, Rev C	1 00	Wilkinson, George	1 00	W W	1 00
Thomson & Burns	5 00	Withrow, Rev W H.	1 00	Wagner, J P	2 00
Thom, Mrs John	4 00	Withrow, Mrs	1 00	Wagner, W J	1 00
Thom, John H	4 00	Wright, George	1 00	Williams, Rev A	1 00
Topp, Rev Dr	5 00	Withrow, John J	1 00	Williams, C M	1 00
Turner & Co, John	5 00	Winn, Mrs	5 00	Wey, Joseph	1 00
Thompson, Thomas M.	5 00	Wood, Rev Dr	2 00	Wardrop, R	1 00
Thomson, J	1 00	Walker, Robert	5 00	Young, Rev George	2 00
Taylor, Rev Dr	5 00	Wilson, G W	1 00	Young, Rev C	1 00
Taylor, T W	1 00	Wilson, Wm	2 00	Young, John	1 00
Taylor, J	2 00	Wickson, S	1 00	Young, John	1 00
Tackabury	1 00	Woodhouse, J J	2 00	Young, Rev W C	1 00
Thompson, S	1 00	Whitney, J W G	10 00	Young, Mr	1 00
Temple, Dr	1 00	Wilkie, Thomas J	1 00	Yarker, G W	1 00
Thompson, Thomas	2 00	Workman, Rev G C	1 00	379 Friends and small sums	115 96
Tovell, Rev I	1 00	Wilson, Dr D	5 00	Hayden, Mrs (Brussels)	5 00
Taylor & Bro, Thomas	4 00	Wickson	4 00	Walden, R S (Baden)	4 00
Trees, S	2 00	W D	2 00	Lesslie, John (Dundas)	4 00
Tyner, Edward	1 00	Wightman, John	1 00		
Tyner, Mrs John	1 00	Walker & Sons, R	5 00		
Tizard, G L	1 00	Walker, D	1 00		

Branch Subscription Lists.

ALBERTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$4 14
Col by Misses Kelly and Forbes
Robert Forbes..... 1 00
Mrs T S House 1 00
G H Palmer..... 1 00
Francis Irwin 1 00
Small sums 4 51
Col by Misses Young and Taylor
G H Taylor 1 00
David Sharp 1 00
Wm Sharp 1 00
Small sums 3 20
Col by Misses Hopkins and Shaver
Small sums 2 00

Total.....$20 85

AMBERLEY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting (less expenses).....$0 47
Col by
Misses Nisbet and Chisholm 3 43
Misses Cameron and Manson..... 5 00
Misses Wilson and Shields,
Rev Wm Graham 1 00
Small sums 4 40
Misses McDonald and Watson 7 30

Total.....$21 60

ANCASTER BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 98
Col by Misses Chep and Gurnett
Henry Orton, MD.... 5 00
George Thompson 1 00
Rev Wm Belt 1 50
Small sums 2 25
Col by Misses B Belt and Orton
Hyslop and Garroch.. 1 00
Rev J H Ratcliff..... 1 00
Wm Lodor 1 00
S A Findlay..... 1 00
Small sums 4 15
Col by Misses Quarrier and Cartridge
Small sums 3 60
Col by Misses Cooley
John Robb $1 00
Small sums 1 55
Col by Miss Smith
J H Smith 1 00
Wm Farmer, sr..... 1 00
E D Farmer..... 1 00
Small sums 2 20
Col by Misses McCrimmon and Templer
Wm Templer 1 00
A J Hubbard 1 00
J E McCrimmon 1 00
Mrs McCrimmon 1 00
Small sums 3 60
Col by Misses Miller and Chapman
Mrs Leith..... 2 00
Mrs Miller 1 00
Alex Chapman, sr..... 1 00
Small sums 3 19
Col by Miss Buttrum
Francis Buttrum..... 1 00
Buttrum & Brother ... 1 50
H Bawden 1 00
Priscilla E L Buttrum 1 00
Peter Binkley 1 00
Small sums 8 67
Col by Miss Daniel
David Daniel 1 00
Small sums 4 90
Col by Misses Kelly and Morwick
Hugh Morwick 1 00
Samuel Olmstead 1 00
J A Shaver 1 00
Small sums 6 45
Rev W Green 1 00

Total.....$77 54

ANCASTER BRANCH EAST.

Col by Misses Lillie Walker and Jessie Moffat
James Walker..... 1 00
John Walker 1 00
Adam Summerville .. 1 00
George Allen..... 1 00
James Moffat 1 00
Small sums 5 50
Col by Miss Fortune
Robert Fortune 1 00
Wm Moffat, jr..... 1 00
David Butter 1 00
Peter McLagan 1 00
Wm Ashmore 1 00
Small sums $5 80
Col by Misses Forsyth and Gibson
James Forsyth 1 00
James Gibson 1 00
Mrs Renton 1 00
Wm Findlay 1 00
James Russell..... 1 00
John Renton 1 00
Wm Cleland 1 00
Robert Smith 1 00
Wm Renton..... 1 00
Wm Findlay, jr 1 00
James Brown 1 00
Small sums 4 00
Col by Misses Hood and McKay
Small sums 7 95

Total.....$44 25

ARRAN BRANCH.

Subscript'n subsequent to audit of 1876 ..... 0 50
Col at the annual meeting, Jan., 1878..... 5 94
Col at the Childrens' annual meeting 2 01
Col by Mesdames Moore and Glover
Rev Wm Blain..... 1 00
W A Gerolemy..... 1 00
Wm Hearst 1 00
J W Allen..... 1 00
W Vandusen 1 00
Small sums 7 55
Col by Misses Gardner and Young
L Gardner 1 00
S Sutton..... 1 00
George Dunn 1 00
J Linton 1 00
Rev R S Cooper..... 1 00
Small sums 6 25
Col by Misses Wilkinson and Freeborn
J M Kilborn 1 00
Rev N S Burwash 1 00
Small sums 4 00
Col by Misses Peacock and Wilson 5 05
Col by Misses Hall and Broadfoot
Moncrieff McDonald.. 1 00
Smaller sums 1 75

Col by
Misses Barnes and Underwood $4 64
Misses Hall and Underwood 3 60
The Misses Leggs 3 50
Misses Simmons and Manary 3 15
Misses Walters & McKeene 3 15
Misses Spence & Crookshanks 3 03
Misses Foster & Jameson 5 33
Misses Steele and Close 0 75
Misses Boyd and Park 2 05

Total $75 25

ASHFIELD BRANCH.

John McLeod 1 00
John McLennan..... 1 00
Donald McLennan..... 1 00
Hugh Chambers..... 1 00
Finley McDonald 1 00
Alexander Ross 1 00
Alexander McRae 1 00
Colin McKenzie 1 00
Small sums 12 00

Total $20 00

AVENING BRANCH.

Robert Flack 1 00
Joseph J. Hood 1 00
Small sums 3 48

Total $5 48

BALTIMORE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 02
Col by Misses Brown and Parsons
G M Hogg 1 00
John A Frood..... 1 00
George Brown..... 1 00
William Mann 1 00
John Lawless 1 00
S Parsons 1 00
John Turner, M D.... 1 00
Small sums 9 00
Col by D Haig Jun and L Burwash
George Nixon 2 00
N Chapman 1 00
H. Carruthers 2 00
Mrs Hossack..... 1 00
William Blizard 1 00
C Slater 1 00
W L Staples 1 00
Rev W A McKay.... 1 00
D Haig 2 00
M A James 1 00
R. Johnston..... 1 00
L Burwash 1 00
Charles Reynolds 1 00
Small sums 1 85
Col by James Thompson
John Russell 1 00
John Timlin.....$1 00
Malcom Moffatt..... 1 00
Herbert Moffatt..... 1 00
James Thompson..... 1 00
Small sums 4 75
Col by S Massey and J Baptist
Alexander Mann..... 1 00
C Kelley 1 00
S Massey 1 00
James Baptist..... 1 00
R Ingram 1 00
John Stewart..... 1 00
R Hewitt 3 00
Mrs Laing..... 1 00
T R Haig..... 1 00
Small sums 3 96
Col by W Smith and Thomas Stott
John Baptist 1 00
William Stott 1 00
Mrs Baptist..... 1 00
Small sums 4 00

Total $68 58

BAYFIELD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 26
Col by Miss Parker
Mr Spakeman..... 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Col by Miss Sterling
Small sums 4 80
Col by Mesdames Stanbury and Esson
John Esson 5 00
Jas Gairdner 1 00
A Rutledge 1 00
Rev N Paterson 1 00
R Stanbury 1 00
Jas Thompson..... 1 00
Rev. Geo Jamieson .. 1 00
Small sums 11 80

Total.....$33 36

BEAVERTON BRANCH.

Col by Misses Mary Gordon and Jeanie Robinson
Rev J McNabb 2 00
J A Procter..... 1 00
Donald G Ross 1 00
Donald McTaggart .. 1 00
Daniel Cameron..... 1 00
Small sums 18 27
Col by Misses McPherson and McKay
Angus McKay 1 00
Jane E. Watson..... 1 00
Charles Galloway 1 00
Small sums 15 74
Col by Misses Bruce and McDougall
Mrs Bethune 2 00
Hector Grant 1 00
R C Fair 1 00
Small sums 10 86
Col by Misses Sarah Ann Smith and Ellen Ross
Small sums $7 25
Col by Misses Campbell and Gillespie
Small sums 5 25

Total.....$70 37

BELGRAVE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..3 64
Col by Misses Proctor and Wilkinson
Thomas Anderson 1 00
Wm Bengough 1 00
Miss W Bengough.... 1 00
Walter Allison 1 00
Small sums 6 00
Col by James Edmond
W J Wightman 1 00
Wm Thomson 1 00
James Edmond 1 00
Small sums 7 85
Col by Misses Brown and Hoods
Small sums 6 10
Col by Misses Young and Cole
Small sums 1 50

Total.....$32 09

BELL EWART BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..1 05
Col by Misses A Willson and J Johnson
S C Webster 1 00
G P McKay 1 00
Small sums 5 10

Total 8 15

BERLIN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 5 90
Col by Misses Jackson and Chalmers
Simpson, Anthes & Co 2 00
D McDougall 1 00
J Fennell 1 00
Dr Wright 1 00
A McIntosh..... 1 00
H M Andrews..... 1 00
Small sums 18 15
Col by Mesdames Stuebing and Rittinger
Sheriff Davidson..... 2 00
Bowlby, Colquhoun & Clemens 2 00
Dr Jackson 1 00
F Rittinger 1 00
Small sums 11 65
Col by Misses Gaukel and De Bus
E Kalbfleisch 1 00
J B Eshelman..... 1 00
S P Bowman 1 00
Small sums 11 19

Col by Misses M Weaver and Simpson

Dr Bowlby	$1 00
Mrs W Bowlby	1 00
Rev J F Dickie	1 50
Rev Mr Spies	1 00
Small sums	6 75

Col in town of Waterloo by Mrs Brock and Miss Buckberrough

Mrs Buckberrough and family	2 00
Small sums	29 01
Total	$105 15

BERVIE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting	2 30
Subscriptions	6 42
Total	$8 72

BLOOMINGDALE BRANCH.

Col by Misses Erb and Bowman

Small sums	7 45

Col by Misses Bowman and Bergy

Small sums	3 35

Col by Misses Bracy and Stauffer

Small sums	7 20
Total	$18 00

BOND HEAD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting	$2 33
James Smith, sen.	9 00
Isaac Williams	1 00
Richd Dunham	1 00
T Gaviller	2 00
Mrs D A Jones	1 00
Dr. Whiteside	2 00
T Cross	1 00
S Cerswell	1 00
T Clarke	1 00
R Campbell	1 00
H Richardson	1 00
R Coffey	1 00
J Cerswell	4 00
A Cerswell	1 00
Richardson	1 00
W Sutherland	2 00
W Hill	1 00
F Strangways	1 00
T Rogers	1 00
D Ausman	1 00
T Phillips	1 00
Rev Dr Fraser	1 00
Rev J W Totten	1 00
C Wilson and family	5 00
J Wilson	2 00
C Wilson, junr	2 00
B Doyle	1 00
H Doyle	1 00
J Manning, senr.	2 00
Small sums	15 65
Total	$67 98

BOWMANVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting	$11 12
Miss Murdoch	1 00
Mrs Hambly	1 00
Wm McClung	1 00
B Brittain	1 00
R Easton	4 00
Thos Patterson	5 00
F Blakley	2 00
J Neads	1 00
R S Manning	1 00
R B Andrew	1 00
Jas McClung	1 00
Murdoch Bros	1 00
C Barker	1 00
J Higginbotham	1 00
Dr McLaughlin	1 00
Geo Piggott	1 00
Sam Morris	1 00
Dr Allison	2 00
D Stott	1 00
C Stott	1 00
A Spenser	1 00
Lee & Edsall	1 00
W S Hughan	1 00
Jas Little	2 00
D Fisher	1 00
Mrs J Burke	2 00
S McConochie	1 00
C Stott	1 00
S Moses	1 00
R Windatt	1 00
T Yellowlees	1 00
W R Climie	1 00
J Fairbairn	1 00
J McMurtry	1 00
A Beith	1 00
G Haines	1 00
Mrs Gardner	1 00
H O'Hara	1 00
G Porter	1 00
Geo McGill	1 00
F Raynes	2 00
Mrs Reid	1 00
Small sums	26 25
Total	$91 37

BRADFORD BRANCH.

Thomas Driffill	3 00
John Mitchell	1 00
J Murphy Bros	2 00
Mrs J Goodfellow	4 00
Thos Kilkenny	1 00
Dr Porter	1 00
Dr Morton	1 00
Wm Goodfellow	1 00
J R Youmers	5 00
Rev T A Ferguson	1 00
John Boddy	1 00
John Magee	1 00
Wm McConkey	1 00
Mark Scanlan	1 00
Rev E W Banten	1 00
Rev T Boyd	1 00
Dr Forrest	1 00
W M Stevenson	2 00
Dowler Brothers	$1 00
W B Scott	1 00
T S Graham	1 00
J W H Wilson	1 00
Richard Long	1 00
Wm Campbell	1 00
Mrs Macintosh	1 00
Small sums	12 25
Total	$48 25

BRAMPTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting	$5 34

Col by Mrs Wallace

K Chisholm	4 00
G Graham	1 00
J Austin	1 00
J Aikins	1 00
W Dafoe	1 00
J Atkinson	1 00
J Golding	1 00
A F Campbell	1 00
R H Hodgson	1 00
J G Stead	1 00
H Burnett, sr.	1 00
Rev J Stobo	1 00
M Crawford	1 00
M M Elliott	1 00
D Kirkwood	1 00
Thomas Murphy	1 00
S Wallace	1 00
W Whitehead, jr.	1 00
George Green	1 00
J Graham	1 00
Small sums	21 45

Col by Mrs Marshall

A F Scott	2 00
R P Campbell	1 00
George Tye	1 00
Dr Patullo	1 00
Wm Wilkinson	1 00
Misses Gilbert	1 00
J W Beynon	1 00
Rev Mr Reid	1 00
Mrs James Fletcher	1 00
W Golding	1 00
D F Campbell	1 00
J Gilkinson	1 00
Haggert Bros.	2 00
Mrs Hugston	1 00
Jos McClure	1 00
Rev J Learoyd	2 00
J Sutcliffe	1 00
G H Golding	1 00
B Sherrin	1 00
J Wood	1 50
Rev J Pringle	1 00
Rev T Argue	1 00
J Mason	1 00
J Todd	1 00
Mrs E Cook	1 00
J Hunt	1 00
J Perry	1 00
W Newhouse	1 00
S Beck	1 00
G Blain	1 00
W Foster	1 00

J Main $1 00
Dr Moore 1 00
Rev J Curts..... 1 00
Wm Elliott, sen 1 00
John Anthony..... 1 00
W K Graham 1 00
J Milner 1 00
J Clark 1 00
Small sums 13 65

Col by J Ferris

J Ferris..... .... 1 00
Small sums 4 20

Col by Misses Campbell and Carter

R Smith 3 00
W H Smith 1 00
Small sums 4 25

Col by Miss Wiggins

J Graham 1 00
Small sums 3 25

Col by John McClure

J McClure..... 1 00
W Whitehead, sen.... 1 00
S McClure 1 00
D McClure 1 00
W Fletcher 1 00
E Fletcher, sen 1 00
Mrs D McClure, sen... 1 00
Small sums 4 35

Col by H Pickering

R McClure..... 1 00
T Sharp..... 1 00
Mrs T Sharp ,... ..... 1 00
J Ridd 1 00
Small sums 10 35

Col by Wm Elliott

R Carter 1 00
H Carter..... 1 00
Mrs M A Snell 1 00
Small sums 4 75

Col by Mr Smith

Small sums 1 50

Col by Misses Ban and Henderson

Small sums 4 35

Col by Misses Harrison and Stubbings

Mrs Winters..... 1 00
Mrs Holtby 1 00
Small sums 7 10

Total.....$172 04

BRUCEFIELD BRANCH.

Col by Alex Foot

Alexander Foot 1 00
Rev John Ross..... 1 50
James Musterd 1 00
Mrs Ross 1 00
Wm McMillan 1 00
Hugh McCartney 1 00
Small sums 3 10

Col by George Walker

George Walker..... 1 00
Robert H Carnochan.. 1 00
George Forest 1 00
Small sums 0 75

Col by Neil Ross

Neil Ross $1 00
Small sums 2 50

Col by D McEwen

Small sums 3 00

Col by Mr Chapman

Small sums 2 00

Col by M McKay

Small sums 1 95

Col by Robert Yowl

Small sums 3 00
A friend..... 0 20

Total.....$27 00

BRUSSELS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 10 05
Rev J Ferguson 2 00
J R Grant 2 00
J Leckie..... 2 00
A J McCall..... 2 00
G A Deadman..... 2 00
B Polick 2 00
A T McMahon..... 2 00
Adam Good 1 00
J A Garlick..... 1 00
Adam Reid..... 1 00
Pennington McDonald 1 00
James Moses 1 00
T Leadbeater 1 00
John Coultes 1 00
D Scott & Son..... 1 00
Thomas Currie 1 00
Robert Elliot 1 00
W R Wilson 1 00
John G Skene 1 00
C R Cooper 1 00
Wilcox & Forsyth 1 00
W A Martin 1 00
T McGillicuddy..... 1 00
Wm Vanstone..... 1 00
John J Watson 1 00
Ben Gerry 1 00
T G Holmes..... 1 00
Rev C E Stafford 1 00
D Hayden 1 00
Jacks & Holliday 1 50
Rev G W Andrews.... 1 00
Rev E J Robinson.... 1 00
Rev S Jones 1 00
Alexander Stewart.... 1 00
Small sums 19 90
Peter Thompson..... 1 00
J E Smith..... 1 00
McKenny Brothers ... 1 00
W H McCracken 1 00
Dr Holmes 1 00
Dr McDonagh..... 1 00

Total $77 45

BURLINGTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 5 56

Col by Misses Waldie and Fisher

W Kerns 1 00
Mrs J Fisher..... 1 00
Mrs Waldie 2 00
William Bunton $4 00
Small sums 6 37

Col by Mrs Laing and Miss Brown

Mrs O T Springer 1 00
Mrs Laing 1 00
Mrs Henderson 1 00
Mr McKay 1 00
Mrs S W Fisher..... 1 00
Thomas Graham 1 00
C Hales..... 1 00
J Laing..... 1 00
Small sums 15 04

Col by Mesdames Brasher and Richardson

Mrs B Wilson..... 1 00
L S Rusby..... 1 00
Mrs R Bell 1 00
Small sums 6 75

Col by Misses Murison and Cotter

Mrs G Murison 1 00
Mrs H Cotter 1 00
Mrs Dr Green 1 00
Small sums 1 75

Col by Misses Ghent and Davis

Joshua Freeman..... 1 00
Smith Freeman 1 00
Mrs Gilbert Davis.... 1 00
Jacob Peart..... 1 00
A D Emory 1 00
Small sums 6 60

Total $69 07

BUXTON BRANCH.

Col by Mrs Coutts

Rev W King..... 1 00
George Coutts 1 00
Small sums 6 25

Col by Miss Jane Best

Small sums 3 10

Col by Miss Rosses

Small sums 0 35

Col by Mrs Echlin

Henry Manning..... 1 00
Small sums 3 55

Total $16 25

CAISTORVILLE BRANCH.

Col by Misses Alice Park and Mary Welch

William Brown 1 00
William Mitchell 1 00
Small sums 6 14

Col by Misses Minnie Kaufman and Mary Jane Lester

Adam Spears, junr .. 1 00
Small sums 1 51
Rev J P Bell 1 00
Adam Spears, senr .. 1 00

Col by Misses Catherine Shields and Ann Neale

Walter Laidlaw 1 00
Small sums 1 25

Col by Misses Esther Robson and Amelia Stevenson
Mrs. Hoover $1 00
Dr R A Haney 1 00
Small sums 0 80

Total.....$17 70

CALEDONIA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 15
Col by
Miss McQuarrie 16 00
Misses Wylie and Wilson 14 75
Miss Aldridge 13 15
Miss Ferrier.....10 39

Total.....$57 44

CAMPBELL'S CROSS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 93
Col by Stephen Craig
Stephen Craig..... 1 00
Seth Campbell..... 1 00
Small sums 2 26
Col by John Nixon
John Nixon 1 00
John Laidlaw 1 00
William Spiers 1 00
Jos Cunnington 1 00
Small sums 4 10
Col by Alex Smith
Alex Smith 1 00
William Smith 1 00
Edward Forster 1 00
Clark Robson 1 00
Thos Robinson 1 00
Small sums 0 50
Col by William McBride
Small sums 2 05
Col by Jos Campbell
Jos Campbell 1 00
Rev Mr Blanshard .. 1 00
Jas Buckham 1 00
Elias Snell 1 00
Small sums 5 55
Col by John Wiggins, J P
James Shanahan..... 1 00
Donald Smith 1 00
Hugh Smith..... 1 00
Robert Patterson 1 00
Mrs A Smith 1 00
Angus McLeod 1 00
W & L Snyder 1 00
John Beattie 1 00
R C McCollum 1 00
John Smith 1 00
Small sums 1 25
Col by Jas Graham
Jas Graham 1 00
Jno McGregor 1 00
Geo. Balmer..... 1 00
Robert Oliver 1 00
David Graham 1 00
William Algie..... 1 00
Small sums 1 00
Col by Francis M Kinney
Francis M Kinney ..$1 00
William Magill 1 00
John Graham 1 00
Arthur Norris 1 00
Mrs. Jas. Stephens & Sons 1 50
Small sums 5 35
Col by T C Walker
T C Walker 1 00
Arthur M Wiggins.... 1 00
Small sums 2 85

Total.....$66 34

CAMPBELLVILLE BRANCH.

Col by P Campbell
Duncan Campbell..... 1 00
James Moffatt..... 2 25
Adam Alexander 1 00
David Scott..... 1 00
Hugh Campbell 1 00
Small sums 3 75
Col by A McKenzie
James Campbell..... 1 00
Arch Cameron 1 00
Janet Cameron 1 00
Arch Campbell 1 00
Donald Cameron 1 00
Jos Lynn 1 00
Duncan Cameron..... 1 00
Mrs Elliott 1 00
Small sums 3 25
Col by John Black
John Black 1 00
Jos Smith..... 1 00
Miss E. Donaldson ... 1 00
Jno W McPhee 1 00
James Menzies 1 00
F A Mason 1 00
W G Kidney 1 00
A Wheelihan 1 00
S R Lister 1 00
Isaac Smith 1 00
Mrs Abrey 1 00
Abrey Bros..... 1 00
Col by John Reid
James Reid 1 00
Colin McPhail..... 1 00
Small sums 4 50
Received too late for last list 0 25

Total $40 00

CARTWRIGHT BRANCH.

Col by
Misses Crozier and McLaughlin 3 00
Misses Bradburn and Bruce..... 3 55
Misses Vance & Toms 9 68
Misses Shaw and Jobb 8 83
Misses Ferguson and Taylor 10 80
Misses Allin & Taylor 2 75
Misses Widdis & Taylor 4 45

Total $43 06

CHERRY VALLEY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$0 70
Col by Miss Williamson
George Richards..... 1 00
Small sums 0 90
Col by Misses Huff and Isaacs
Small sums 4 45
Col by Miss E Woodrow
Small sums 1 25
Col by Misses Spafford and Blakeley
W B Blakeley..... 1 00
H Spafford 1 00
Small sums 0 50

Total $10 80

CHIPPAWA BRANCH.

Col by Misses E Plyley and M Sayler
Rev J A F McBain ... 1 00
John Smith 1 00
Rev J W Spencer 1 00
Small sums 6 35
Col by Misses M J Simpson and Lucinda Wallace
Alex McClive 1 00
Small sums 3 10
On hand and collected since last account ... 3 55

Total $17 00

CLAREMONT BRANCH.

Col by Mr Macnab
Rev W Peattie 1 00
Peter Macnab, sen.... 1 00
D Macnab 1 00
John Macnab 1 00
Dr Milne 1 00
Mrs Geo Milne..... 1 00
John Barry 1 00
Joseph Bell 1 00
John Hamilton 2 00
D S McFarlane 2 00
Marion McFarlane.... 1 00
James McFarlane 1 00
Alfred Tracy 1 00
Rev T Booker..... 1 00
Rev R McKee..... 1 00
Mrs S W Sharrard.... 1 00
Arch McSween 1 00
Joseph Collins..... 1 00
Small sums 13 70
Col by Mr E Birrell
Miss Birrell..... 2 00
Eben Birrell..... 2 00
Mr & Mrs Jas Birrell.. 1 00
Their Family 1 00
Mr and Mrs D Birrell 1 00
Their Family 1 00
Mr & Mrs A Johnston 1 00
Their Family 1 00
Wm Cochrane..... 1 00
Small sums 2 25
Col by Mr W Garbut

Small sums $1 55
Col by Mr Adam Spears
Andrew Allison 1 00
Small sums 3 00
Col by Mr H Dickinson
Small sums 3 83
Col by Mr Appleby
Small sums 1 80
Col by Mr Thos Pugh
Alexander Waddell .. 4 00
Small sums 3 35
Col by Mr Barkey
D Barkey 1 00
Small sums 1 95
Col by Mr T Gostick
Thomas Gostick 1 00
Small sums 2 75
Col at annual meeting 2 46

Total $74 64

CLIFTON BRANCH.

W Leggett 1 00
H Howard 1 00
T Butters 1 00
W McDougall..... 1 00
Rev E Fessenden 1 25
T Ward..... 1 00
Mrs Ward..... 1 00
Miss M Ward..... 1 00
Mrs Hunter..... 1 00
Friend 1 00
J W Wilson..... 1 00
C W Bunting..... 1 00
W Sterling 1 00
W Crawford..... 1 00
Mrs Blount 1 00
Mrs Wright..... 1 00
Rev Mr Gordon 1 00
Mrs Waugh..... 1 00
Alanson Ross 4 00
E Thomas..... 2 00
Rev W Kettlewell.... 1 00
Small sums 24 75

Total $50 00

COLBORNE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 75
John M Grover..... 1 00
James Bawden..... 1 00
George N Gordon 1 00
Wm L Payne 1 00
Daniel L Simons..... 1 00
James Scougal..... 1 00
George W Webb..... 1 00
R W Willoughby..... 1 00
J B Cumming 1 00
R Thorburn, M D..... 1 00
Col by Mrs Joseph Priory
Small sums 8 90
Col by Miss Amelia Scott
Small sums 4 55

Total.....$26 20

COLDSPRINGS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$7 28
Col by Messrs Russell and Donaldson
William Donaldson $1 00
John McKinlay 1 00
James Russell 1 00
John McLeod 1 15
William Cruikshank .. 1 00
Andrew Ross 1 00
Small sums 5 50
Col by Messrs Bowman and Rosevear
Robert Thompson 1 00
David McIntosh 1 00
Small sums 6 40
Col by Wm Kerr
Small sums 3 45
Col by Messrs Cullis and Orr
J S Snelgrove 1 00
William Hoar 1 00
James Davidson 1 00
George Redpath..... 1 00
James Ford 1 00
Walter Riddle..... 1 00
Martin Lang 1 00
Gabriel Orr 1 00
Thomas Nixon 1 00
Small sums 12 90
Col by Messrs Arnold and Phillips
Wm Ball 2 00
J Henderson..... 2 00
T Dadge 1 00
G Ritchie 1 00
T West 2 00
J Williams 1 00
Small sums 7 70

Total.....$69 38

COLUMBUS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.$10 86
Col by Mrs Still
Small sums 2 93
Col by Mrs McKenzie and Mrs Roy
Robert Ker 1 00
John Ratcliff 1 00
Small sums 2 75
Col by Misses Ormiston and Howden
Robert Ormiston..... 1 50
Mrs J D Howden..... 1 00
Small sums 4 50
Col by Misses Shand and Kerr
James Shand 1 00
Mrs Cox 1 00
Small sums 3 95
Col by Misses Bray and Martin
James Stark..... 1 00
Jonathan Bray 1 00
Small sums 4 65
Col by Misses Beall and Nankivel
Mrs Smith 2 00
Rev J A Carmichael ..$1 00
Rev W C Beer..... 1 00
Small sums 5 65

Total.....$47 79

CONNOR BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$4 80
Samuel Kenny..... 1 00
Robert Lee..... 1 00
Small sums 7 10

Total $13 90

COOKSVILLE BRANCH.

Col by Miss S Price and Miss C Brunskill
T S Keough..... 2 00
J Galbraith 1 00
M W Cook 1 00
Mrs Cook..... 1 00
Mrs Glazebrook 1 00
Geo McClelland 1 00
Small sums 5 85
Col by Misses N Guthrie and J Macfarlane
Small sums 7 25
Col by Misses J E Oughtred and E S Kelly
Small sums 2 63
Col by Wm Falconer
W H Falconer..... 1 00
W T Brown..... 1 00
Small sums 5 05
Col by Mrs Jos Brownridge
Jos Brownridge 1 00
Miss E Straw 1 00
Small sums 1 20
Col by Miss T Wilson
Miss M McGill 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Col by Messrs J Falconer and Culham
Small sums 3 85

Total.....$39 33

COPETOWN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 0 59
George G Kitchen 1 00
Nelson Behimer 1 00
A M Richards..... 1 00
John Templer 1 00
Mrs J Lang 1 00
Rollin Waugh..... 1 00
M C L Kitchen 1 00
David Patterson..... 1 00
Mrs Marwick 1 00
Small sums 24 60

Total.....$34 19

CREDITON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 7 30
Charles Brown 1 00
John Lewis 1 00
Col by Misses Maria and Anna Brown 6 31

Misses Parsons and Trivitick.....$7 26
Misses Wurtz and Oestricher 1 81

Total.....$24 68

DERRY WEST BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 02
Col by Messrs Hunter and Evans
James Hunter..... 1 00
Charles Hunter 1 00
W D Hunter 1 00
Josiah Oliver 1 00
James McCracken.... 1 00
C W Armstrong..... 1 00
George Evans 1 00
Joseph Graham 1 00
George Cheyne 1 00
J W Might 1 00
Joseph Tilt 1 00
Wm Tilt 1 00
David Brown 1 00
Mrs C W Armstrong.. 1 00
Samuel Brown 1 00
W J Oliver 1 00
A friend from Meadowvale..... 1 00
Small sums 7 00
Col by Messrs Leary and McKeown
W R Wright 2 00
John Charlton..... 1 00
Hugh Kee 1 00
John Leary 2 00
Joseph Gardner 2 00
Geo Duncan..... 1 00
Small sums 4 50
Col by Messrs McBride and Price
Edw McBride 1 00
Mr Jackson 1 00
J Dale 1 00
Dr M H Aikins 1 00
Small sums 5 35
Col by Messrs Wilson and Grafton
Jesse Watson 3 00
Geo Wilson 1 00
Small sums 2 00

Total.....$54 87

DOWNSVIEW BRANCH.

Col at pnblic meeting 4 65
Col by Miss Annie Bull and Mr Wesley Clarke
J P Bull 4 00
William Boake 4 00
Robert Clarke..... 2 00
W R Clarke..... 1 00
John Boake 1 00
W J Bull 1 00
John Goulding 1 00
Peter Wardlaw 1 00
Henry Wardlaw..... 1 00
James Bridgland..... 1 00
Mrs Parsons $1 00
Joseph Watson 1 00
F McFarland 1 00
Mrs Mulholland..... 1 00
Mrs Lackey..... 1 00
J Stewart 1 00
Small sums 2 00
Col by Misses E Brown and R Boake
William Jackson and Family 5 00
I W Magee and Sisters 4 00
George Jackson 2 00
Mrs McDonald 1 00
William Duncan..... 1 00
Samuel Littlejohn 1 00
B Wincup..... 1 00
John Lennox 1 00
A J Griffith 1 00
W Jackson 1 00
Small sums 4 25

Total $51 90

DRAYTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 27
Col by Mr James Kitely
James Kitely 5 00
William McKinley.... 1 00
John Montgomery.... 1 00
Small sums 8 74
Col by Messrs Stutridge and Whale
Thomas Hambly..... 1 00
Small sums 3 70
Col by Misses Close and Norris
Small sums 5 30
Col by Misses Bramhall and Hood
R Sanderson 1 00
Daniel Smith, M D .. 2 00
Thomas Proctor 1 00
T S Proctor 1 00
J Echlin 1 00
W M Macbain..... 1 00
John Fisher..... 1 00
Mrs J C Johnston 1 00
Small sums 6 30
Col by Misses Hubbard and Hodson
Simon W Fawcett 1 00
Small sums 8 28

Total 52 59

DRUMMONDVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 18
Col by Miss Arnold
Mrs Taylor 1 00
T C Woodruff 1 00
Mrs H Howey..... 1 00
Rev J A F McBain.. 1 00
M Morse 1 00
Mrs Kerr 1 00
Small sums 9 75
Col by Miss Blanch Kerr
William Lowell 4 00
Mrs Duncan $1 00
Rev T Roberts..... 1 00
Mrs Z B Lewis 2 00
Abel Land 1 00
Small sums 5 25
Col by Miss Pew & Mrs J Law
Mrs T Pew 1 00
Mrs John Law..... 1 00
John McKerlie 1 00
Erastus Lemon 1 00
Small sums 5 60
Col by Miss Alice Craigie, Stamford
Rev R Acheson 2 00
Mrs Acheson 2 00
Mrs Oswald..... 1 00
Mrs H C Mewburn .. 1 00
Mrs Craigie 1 00
John Craigie 1 00
C D Emmett 1 00
Mrs W Parker 1 00
George Murray 1 00
Mrs Clark..... 1 00
L MacPherson 1 00
Mrs Dunning 1 00
J Shaw 1 00
Small sums 14 75
Col Misses Gray and Currie
Archibald Gray 1 00
Mrs Cruickshanks.... 2 00
Bella McClive..... 1 00
John McClive..... 5 00
Margaret McClive.... 1 00
Mrs Welstead..... 1 00
Chambers Husten 1 00
Robert McClive 1 00
Small sums 3 12
Col by Miss Kaler and Miss Anson Garner
Mrs Nichol 1 00
Mrs Anson Garner.... 1 00
M s H Kaler 1 00
Mrs F A Hutt..... 1 00
Small sums 1 75
Col by Miss Lemon
T B Willson..... 1 00
Mrs Allen..... 1 00
Mrs Lemon 1 00
Small sums 4 75

Total $101 15

DUNBARTON BRANCH.

Col at lecture by Rev Mr Wood 2 60
Col by Misses Parker and Brown
John Parker..... 4 00
William Dunbar..... 4 00
Alex Kennedy..... 3 00
William Gernon 2 00
Mrs Kennedy 2 00
John Oddie 1 00
Robert Smith 1 00
George Parker..... 1 00

Mrs J Parker $1 00
Small sums 4 75
Col by Misses White and Holmes
Jonathan Holmes 1 00
Thomas Holiday..... 1 00
Peter Nisbet 1 00
Mrs White 1 00
Small sums 5 31
Col by Miss Murray
Small sums 7 10

Total.....$42 76

DUNDAS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 9 04
Mountain Ward, by Messrs C S Smith and C Grafton.....50 50
Canal Ward, by Misses Burrows and Clark..37 54
Valley Ward, by Misses Wilson and Graham.12 55
Foundry Ward, by Misses Lillie Grafton and Nellie Grafton..14 24

Total.....$123 87

DUNGANNON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 0 69
Col by Misses Crawford and Mallaugh
Thomas Anderson 1 00
R Clendenning 1 00
Rev J Caswell..... 1 00
Alexander McPherson. 1 00
Mrs R Clendenning... 5 00
Small sums 7 10

Total.....$16 79

EAST OXFORD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 07
William Thornton 1 00
R Chambers, jun 1 00
A M Whitfield 1 00
S R Wallace..... 2 00
Small sums 13 65

Total.....$20 72

EDEN MILLS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 31
Col by Misses Davidson and Ramsay
John Ramsay 1 00
John Marshall..... 1 00
James Ramsay 1 00
Allan Ramsay..... 1 00
William Hortop 1 00
J A Davidson and family 2 00
Small sums 5 67
Col by Misses M Argo and McFarlane
James Argo 2 00
James Argo, junr 1 00
S McFarlane 1 00
Mrs Winyard 1 00
George Barnet.....$1 50
Small sums 5 50
Col by Misses M Argo and Kemp
John Linderman..... 1 00
Mrs Phin 1 50
James Auld 2 00
Mrs Sunley 1 00
Small sums 4 20

Total.....$36 68

EGMONDVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting ..3 36
Sam Carnochan 1 00
Thos Hills..... 1 00
Dan Clark 1 00
David Duncan..... 1 00
Small sums 5 57
William Payne 1 00
Wm McConnell 1 00
Jno Cumming..... 1 00
Small sums 3 25
James Houston 1 00
Jno Lawrence 1 00
Small sums 3 45
Mrs Wm McLean 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Wm McGeoch..... 1 00
H M Chisney 1 00
Small sums 3 00
Small sums 2 60

Total.....$31 37

ELDON BRANCH.

Col by Miss F McDonald
Small sums 2 40
Jno Forry..... 1 00
Col by Misses McFadyen and McIntyre
Small sums 6 35
R F Gunn..... 1 00
Col by Misses McFarlane and Mitchell
Small sums 4 10
Col by Misses Smith and Stuart
Small sums 3 55
Jas Stuart..... 1 00
Col by Misses McKay and M Eachern
Small sums 3 85
Rev Alex McKay 1 00
N McEachern..... 1 00

Total.....$25 25

ELMVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 08
Col by Misses Werry and Halls
J Halls 1 00
Thomas Werry, senr.. 1 00
James Halls..... 1 00
William Perkins..... 1 00
John Peddler 1 00
Small sums 4 30
Col by Misses S Halls and Andrew
Samuel Parkinson $1 00
John Pym..... 1 00
Anthy Taylor 1 00
William Miners, junr.. 1 00
Small sums 3 57
Col by Misses Colwell and Hunkin
Small sums 3 47
Col by Miss Shute
Small sums 0 50
Col by Misses Anderson and Cann
Robert Cann 1 00
Neil Stewart 1 00
Small sums 3 45
Col by Misses Whitlock and Clark
Small sums 2 89
Col by Miss Cook
Small sums 1 25
Col by Misses Miller and Allen
James Airth, sen..... 2 00
J Elliott 1 00
Small sums 4 75

Total.....$40 26

ELORA BRANCH.

Col by Misses G Thomson and Walker
George Barron..... 4 00
William Kerr 2 00
J M Shaw..... 2 00
Charles Clark 1 00
John Godfrey & Son .. 1 00
John McLean 1 00
Mrs D Boyle 1 00
George Thomson..... 1 00
Rev A D Macdonald.. 1 00
Hugh Hamilton 1 00
Small sums 19 74
Col by Misses J G Somers and Middleton
Garvin Middleton 1 00
Dr Paget 1 00
Mrs J Gibbon 1 00
Rev James Middlemiss 1 00
Miss Menzies 1 00
Rev J G Macgregor .. 1 00
Mrs Hartop 1 00
Small sums 8 45
Col by Misses Somers and Graham
Charles Haslem 4 00
Small sums 5 30
Col by Misses Watt and Watson
George Sutherland.... 2 00
Alex Watt 1 00
Small sums 4 08
Col by Misses Wissler and Simpson
Mrs Wissler and Mrs J Wissler 1 00
Small sums 2 95

Col by Misses Carder and Lamb
Joseph Carder 2 00
Charles Keeling 1 00
Mrs Hay, Mrs Lamb .. 1 00
Small sums 4 30
Col by Misses Shand and Piercy
John Watt 1 00
Small sums 5 90
Col by Mrs Branders and Miss J Duff
Rev J Duff 1 00
Wm Branders 1 00
James Young 1 00
James Burnett 1 00
Wm Gibson 1 00
John Mair..... 1 00
Joseph Irvine 1 00
Joseph Geddes..... 1 00
John Halls..... 1 00
Alex Rennie..... 1 00
John Falconer..... 1 00
Thomas Gray 1 00
Small sums 5 88
Col by Misses Struthers and MacCrea
Rev John Davidson... 5 00
Dr and Mrs Wallace .. 2 00
R McKim..... 1 00
F & J Griffin 1 00
Small sums 15 42
Col by Misses Brayden and Fisher
Small sums 6 65
Col by Miss E Halls
Abel Moore 1 00
W Short 1 00
John Gale..... 1 00
Small sums 4 05
Col by Misses Burnett and Hunter
Mrs Hunter... ..... 2 00
Alex Burnett 2 00
Samuel Burnett 1 00
John Hunter 1 00
John Burnett 1 00
Mr & Mrs P Marshall.. 1 00
Small sums 4 05
Col by Mrs Betzner and Miss Hanna
Colten Amy..... 1 00
David Betzner..... 1 00
Small sums 3 85
Col by Misses Strangways and Penfold
Small sums 7 75
Col by Miss S Hall
Small sums 2 60
Col by Miss Cameron
Wm Kilpatrick 1 00
James Cowie 1 00
Wm J Reynolds..... 1 00
Donald and Hugh Wallace..... 1 00
Small sums 6 00

Col by Misses Leslie and Kilpatrick
Mrs Leslie..... 1 00
George Mackenzie 1 00
Small sums 3 85
Col by Master G Faskin and M J Faskin
Small sums 2 60
Col by Miss M Faskin
Mr and Mrs Gibbon... 2 00
Geo Walton]..... 1 00
Small sums 2 10
Total.....$194 52

EMERSON BRANCH.

Marias District—Col by Rev D McCaul
Rev D McCaul 1 00
Small sums 4 75
H B and Pembina District—Col by Miss Jasper and Mr C Perry
W J Kneeshaw 2 00
H T Lewis 1 00
J Kabernagle 1 00
C Gusky 1 00
F C Myrick..... 1 00
Small sums 0 50
Red River District—Col by Messrs A McPherson and T Scott
A McPherson 1 00
Andrew Hepburn 1 00
J B McPherson 1 00
A H Barber..... 1 00
R Terrot 1 00
Rev J Scott 1 00
Small sums 1 75
Emerson District — Col by Mrs Jukes
Rev M and Mrs Jukes. 2 50
Mrs Keller 2 00
T Carney 1 00
G Baldwin 1 00
Mrs Newcombe..... 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Total.....$29 00

EMILY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 3 94
William Curry 1 00
David Thornton.... . 1 00
C Smaly 1 00
Samuel English..... 2 00
Rev R H Harris..... 1 00
Rev C E McIntyre.... 1 00
W H Davidson..... 2 00
Dr Higginbotham 1 00
Miss Davidson..... 1 00
Mrs James Evans 1 00
Robert Nugent 1 00
W A Sutherland..... 1 00
F Davidson 1 00
Small sums 18 35
Total $37 29

ERAMOSA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 5 27
Col by Jas Chambers
George Scott 1 00
Small sums 3 00
Col by Robert Scott
Walter Scott 1 25
George Dryden 1 00
Peter Miller..... 1 00
Small sums 3 00
Col by Felix Freure
Small sums 4 70
Col by James Oakes
Small sums 2 55
Col by James Dobbin
Small sums 2 75
Col by Joseph Wood
William Wood 2 00
John S Armstrong.... 4 00
Asher Farrow 1 00
James S Armstrong .. 1 00
David Rea 2 00
Isaac Anderson 1 00
John Wood 1 00
Small sums 0 75
Col by James Peters
W S Armstrong 5 00
Wm Henderson 1 00
James Loghrin 4 00
George Armstrong.... 2 00
Rev C Duff 1 00
Joseph Wood 1 00
J McKerlie 1 00
J Kennedy 1 00
Small sums 3 25
Col by Andrew Mutrie
William Mutrie 1 00
William Armstrong .. 1 00
Small sums 3 75
Col by Charles Armstrong
Charles Armstrong .. 1 00
T S Armstrong 2 00
Mrs T S Armstrong .. 1 00
R S Armstrong 1 00
Mrs R S Armstrong .. 1 00
Albert Tolton..... 1 00
Joseph Parkinson 1 00
William Bathgate 1 00
Peter Bathgate 1 00
John Bolton..... 1 00
Mrs John Day..... 1 00
Small sums 13 50
Col by Walter Swanston
Walter Swanston 1 00
Lazarus Parkinson..... 1 00
George Swanston 1 00
Small sums 1 25
Col by Henry Scott
J A Armstrong 1 00
A Smith 1 00
J Johnson..... 1 00
H Carter 1 00
Rev D Smyth 1 00
T R Dryden..... 1 00
T McCullough 1 00
Henry Scott..... 1 00

Small sums $4 50
Col by Robert Aitkins
Small sums 1 00
Col by Peter McKnee
Small sums 2 00

Total $108 52

ERIN BRANCH.

Col by Mrs C McLachlan
Chas McLachlan 1 00
Simon McLachlan.... 1 00
Donald McLean..... 1 00
Archibald McLean .. 1 00
Small sums 4 50
Col by Messrs McDowell and Milloy
Hugh Milloy 1 00
Wm McDowell 1 00
James Broddy..... 1 00
Robert Wood 1 00
Wm Tyler 1 00
Small sums 2 30
Col by T Young and Peter McGill
Miss McCormack 1 00
Small sums 3 25
Col by Adam Matheson
Small sums 4 50
Col by J Speirs
Small sums 2 00

Total $26 55

WEST ESSA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$1 42
Thomas A Gordon 1 00
John Connell 1 00
Joseph G Wood 1 00
Wm Ruthven 1 00
Wm Turnbull 1 00
John Whitesides..... 1 00
James Chantler 1 00
S Graham..... 1 00
Small sums 26 84

Total.....$36 26

NORTH ETOBICOKE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 37
John Moody..... 1 00
James Dunton..... 1 00
John Ackrow 1 00
Henry Thomas 1 00
Thomas Peters 1 00
Joseph Button..... 1 00
William Foote..... 1 00
John Foote 1 00
Miss Foote 1 00
Thos Bolton, sen..... 1 00
Rev Jas Brooks 1 00
G Lyons 1 00
John Dixon 1 00
William Smith 1 00
George Betteridge 1 00
Richard Thomas..... 1 00
William Dalton 1 00
James Gardhouse 1 00
Thomas Taylor 1 00
Mr Appleby.....$1 00
James Kellam..... 1 00
W A Wallis 1 00
John Kellam 1 00
Isaac Maxwell..... 1 00
J T W Wallis 1 00
John Rowntree 1 00
Clareville S School ... 2 00
Small sums 25 78

Total $56 15

SOUTH ETOBICOKE.

Col at public meeting.. 3 70
Col by A McFarlane
Walter McFarlane.... 2 00
Newman Silverthorn.. 1 00
James Ward..... 1 00
Alex McFarlane..... 3 00
Small sums 1 20
Col by D L Streight
Mrs W Montgomery .. 1 00
D L Streight 1 00
Small sums 1 25
Col by P B Shaver
Mrs S A Mercer 1 00
Mrs Burton 1 00
Mrs J W Custead 1 00
D Custead 1 00
J Orth 1 00
A Friend 1 00
Small sums 4 00
Col by J Thompson
F Hendry..... 1 00
Small sums 6 65
Col by S W Bigham
C Morley 1 00
S W Bigham 2 00
Mrs Bigham..... 1 00
Small sums 6 00
Col by Jas Moore
James Moore 1 00
Small sums 2 75
Col by A E Mather
A E Mather..... 1 00
H Gracey 1 00
G Pearson..... 1 00
A Friend 2 00
Small sums 2 45

Total.....$54 00

FENELLA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 16
Col by James Cameron
Rev R Brooking..... 1 00
James Yule 1 00
Small sums 15 20
Col by Misses Ferguson and Russell
Charles Gillespie..... 1 00
Small sums 5 61
Col by Thos Butters
Wm McWilliam..... 1 00
Small sums 2 00
Col by John Mackenzie
Small sums $3 75

Total.....$31 72

FENELON FALLS BRANCH.

Dr Allen 2 00
Rev Wm Lochead.... 1 00
Rev R Potter 1 00
James Cameron 1 00
T Roberts..... 1 00
W Marshall 1 00
J Agnew 1 00
T Lockhart 1 00
J Moffatt 1 00
Rev H Newcombe 1 00
H P Henning 1 00
Wm Campbell..... 1 00
J D Smith 1 00
Wm Jordan 1 00
James Dickson 1 00
Geo Cunningham 1 00
John Austin..... 1 00
H Junkin 1 00
J W Kennedy 1 00
H Davis 1 00
E Fitzgerald 1 00
Small sums 16 70

Total.....$38 70

FERGUS BRANCH.

Col by Miss Fordyce and Mrs Castell
Jas Argo 4 00
W Castell..... 2 00
G D Ferguson 4 00
H Mitchell 1 00
Jno Beattie 1 00
H Michie and Mrs Michie..... 4 00
A S Cadenhead 1 00
Mrs Cadenhead 1 00
Jas Muir 1 00
Mrs Dr. Groves 1 00
Rev J B Mullan..... 3 00
Mrs Tilley..... 1 00
Small sums 14 59
Col by Misses Smellie and White
Rev G Smellie..... 1 00
Mrs Jas Smellie 1 00
A L Argo 2 00
Mrs Argo 1 00
Miss Argo..... 1 00
Mrs White 1 00
John Robinson 1 00
In small sums 5 35
Col by Mrs Moffat and Miss Watt
Mrs G D Ferguson.... 1 00
Rev T L Wilkinson .. 1 00
Small sums 6 55
Col by Mrs Mennie and Miss Adie
Alex Taylor 1 00
J Ironsides 2 00
R A Hunt..... 1 00
Jas Wilkie 1 00

A D Fordyce $5 00
Miss Fordyce 1 00
Small sums 18 50

Col in Nichol and West Garafraxa—

Per Miss Cunningham
In small sums 3 00
Per Miss McInnes
In small sums 4 50
Per A Gerrie
In small sums 3 25
Per W Broadfoot
In small sums 3 25
Per Miss Rettie
J Rettie and family .. 1 00
A Barnet and family.. 1 00
In small sums 7 15
Per Miss Muir
Mrs Muir 1 00
In small sums 3 75
Per Miss Ross
G A Anderson..... 1 00
J Ross 2 00
In small sums 6 60
Per Miss Richardson
J C Ross 2 00
Small sums 11 34
Per Miss Burns
G S Armstrong 4 00
Mrs Armstrong 2 00
Small sums 4 75
Per Mr Wm Clark
Wm Clark 1 00
G C Hamilton..... 1 00
Small sums 2 40
Per Mr A Munro
Mal Dow 1 00
Peter Dow 1 25
A Wilkie, sen 1 50
A Munro 1 00
Small sums 8 20
Per Mr J Caldwell
J and P Rennie 3 00
Jas Currie..... 1 00
And Richardson 1 00
Geo Stewart..... 1 00
W and Annie Rennie.. 5 00
Small sums 7 50

Subscriptions in Fergus Schools—

High School..... 6 25
Public school 7 23
Col at annual meeting 4 42

Total.....$205 33

FORDWICH BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 82

Col by Misses Esther Ann Southern and Annie Faulkner
Wm A Edwards..... 1 00
Rev J R Isaac..... 1 00
J J Sweetman..... 1 00
Small sums 5 82

Col by Misses Ruth Wilson and Janet Young
Rev George W Racey$2 00
Small sums 5 69

Total $19 33

FOXBORO' BRANCH.

Col by Annie Ward
David Griffin 1 00
Annie Ward..... 1 00

Col by Maria Faulkner
Wm Ward 1 00
Small sums 0 65

Col by Miss Lake
Small sums 1 50
Hartford Ashley..... 1 00
J S M Simmons 1 00

Total $7 15

GREENBANK BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 98
Mrs A Leask 1 00
S Leask..... 1 00
H Bewell 1 00
S Moffet 1 00
A Ross 1 00
N McLinton, M D.... 1 00
J Johnson..... 1 00
Rev S Acheson 1 00
Small sums 16 95

Total $27 93

GREENWOOD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 13

Col by Misses M Jackson and M Tait
S J Somerville..... 1 00
George S Gibson..... 1 00
George Wilson..... 1 00
Small sums 4 80

Col by Misses D Brown and E Wilson
Charles C Goodie 4 00
William Gibson 1 00
Richard Wilson 1 00
Alex Brown..... 1 00
C Rogers 2 00
Small sums 3 20

Col by Misses E Mackie and S Lidget
Alex Mackie 2 00
J H Rogers 1 00
Miss S A Betts 1 00
Wm Redman 1 00
James Hortop..... 1 00
Henry Wilson..... 1 00
Thomas Stevenson.... 1 00
George Dunlop 1 00
Richard Brignell 1 00
George Sangwin 1 00
Small sums 12 23

Total $45 36

HAGERSVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$1 55
S W Howard..... 2 00
Charles Hager..... 2 00
T M Moore. 1 00
Ham Hind $1 00
Small sums 10 50

Total.....$18 05

HALDIMAND BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$7 15
George A Ward 1 00
J Massey 1 00
J Underwood..... 1 00
Charles Hare 1 00
G Carruthers..... 1 00
W Spears 1 00
Thomas Coffey 1 00
W Holland 1 00
J W Smith 1 00
W E Johnstone..... 1 00
D Elliott 1 00
J T Halliday 1 00
Small sums 23 00

Total.....$42 15

HARRINGTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 43
Alex McDonald 1 00
Kenneth Kerr 1 00
George McKenzie..... 1 00
Robert Heron 1 00
John Matheson 1 00
Rev D Gordon. 1 00
Mary Gordon 1 00
Small sums 25 77

Total.....$35 20

HIBBERT BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 25

Col by Misses Janet McNicol and Margaret Harris
Rev P Scott 2 00
Small sums 6 85

Col by Misses Sarah Jane Campbell and Lillie Miller
Richard Hathan..... 1 00
Small sums 5 55

Col by Misses Mary Park and Isabella Gilespie
Peter Campbell 1 00
Small sums 5 65

Total.....$24 30

HIGHLAND CREEK BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 68
William Cowan 1 00
Robert Dixon 1 00
William Stephenson .. 1 00
A Curran 1 00
Mrs Thomas Elliott .. 1 00
Rev C R Bell 1 00
Small sums 25 32

Total.....$35 00

HILLSBURGH BRANCH.

Col by Robt. Reid 1 75
" *Saml Huxley*.... 1 25
" *H McKinnon* ... 2 60

Col by Thos Barbour .. 2 25
" *Wm Young* $1 50
Col by Angus McMurchy
Jno Byrne 1 50
D McMurchy 1 00
Robt Nodwell..... 1 00
Rev B Fowley..... 1 00
Small sums 5 40
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Total.....$19 25

HOLLAND LANDING.

George Swazie..... 1 00
James Parnham 1 00
Small sums 8 00
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Total.....$10 00

HOLLIN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 66
Col by Miss F Hambly
Wm Edmunds..... 1 00
Jno Laing..... 1 00
Small sums 2 75
Col by Misses Meldrum and Hammond
Small sums 4 32
Col by Misses C Travis and Mary Eby
Jno B Eby 1 00
Small sums 6 84
Col by Misses Herbert and Cross
Wm Reed..... 5 00
Jno Paterson 1 00
Wm Paterson 1 00
Small sums 3 00
———
Total.....$28 57

HOPE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 67
Col by Misses A Oakly and J Symons
Rev R Hurly and wife. 4 00
Mrs Brown 1 00
Mr Thompson..... 1 00
Samuel Jacobs..... 1 00
S Naylor and wife 1 00
Mr Giles and wife 1 00
Rev Mr Finlay & wife. 1 00
Wm Henwood..... 1 00
Small sums 9 25
Col by Misses M T Peters and E Box
Rev E S Rupert 2 00
James Lowes 1 00
N Peters 1 00
Small sums 1 45
Dr Corbett 1 00
Jas Gray 1 00
Col by Misses M E Russell and J L Dodds
Mr Elliott 1 00
Mr Dodds..... 1 00
F Russell 1 00
Small sums 5 70
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Total.....$38 07

INGERSOLL BRANCH.

Col at public meeting$5 60
Col by Mrs Eakins
Robert McDonald 2 00
Mrs Eakins 2 00
Dr McCausland 1 00
Mrs J Scott, sen 1 00
Mrs J C Galloway.... 1 00
Mrs Shaw..... ..... 1 00
Mrs Warnock 1 00
G Maughan 1 00
H G Lewis 1 00
Mrs D Schell 1 00
R W Woodroofe 1 00
S A Elliott 1 00
Mrs H Clark 1 00
Mrs L Bixell 1 00
R Kneeshaw 1 00
Mrs Kneeshaw 1 00
Mrs Daly 1 00
Mrs R H Young 1 00
Mrs L Thompson 1 00
W Dempster 2 00
Mr Boderick 1 00
Chas Bixell 1 00
Mr and Mrs Stimson 1 00
James Noxon 1 00
R Y Ellis..... 1 00
J B Galer 1 00
Rev J Kay 1 00
A Hollingshead 1 00
James Gordon..... 2 00
Col by Mrs Watt
Mrs Ellis, sen..... 1 00
Rev J McEwen 1 00
Rev R N Grant 1 00
C Kennedy 1 00
H B Clark 1 00
J W Barker..... 1 00
Wm Mc Dowell 1 00
G Pyper 1 00
Mrs D White 1 00
Mrs A Ellis 1 00
Mrs Wells..... 1 00
Mrs P Brown 1 00
Mrs Bodwell 1 00
Mrs A Christopher..... 1 00
Mrs Rothwell 1 00
W G Wood 1 00
Mr Shirkell 1 00
W T Boot..... 1 00
W S King 1 00
J Stuart 1 00
Mrs Coyne 1 00
J M Chapman..... 1 00
T M Macintyre 1 00
Mrs C Slawson 1 00
Mrs J C Hegler 1 00
W H Eakins 1 00
A Gordon, sen..... 1 00
Mrs James Watt..... 1 00
C Chadwick..... 1 00
James Turner 1 00
Rev J Chapple 1 00
Mrs G Williams 1 00
Mrs James Williams.. 1 00

Col by Mesdames Macaulay and Crisp
Mrs McCaughey.....$2 00
A G Murray. 1 00
Mrs Rumsey..... 1 50
Mr Hayward 1 00
George Ross..... 1 00
Mr Crossley..... 1 00
D M Robertson 1 00
H Crotty 1 00
Mrs A Oliver 1 00
Mrs Crisp..... 1 00
Mrs Macaulay..... 1 00
Col by Mrs Hoyt
John Gayter..... 1 00
W C Johnson 1 00
J McDonald..... 1 00
David White 1 00
Mrs S Brown 2 00
O B Caldwell 2 00
Col by Miss Edna Crawford
C A Crawford..... 1 00
Mrs Sharp 1 00
Mr Williamson 1 00
Small sums 62 79
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Total.....$152 79

IVY BRANCH.

Col by Misses Lennox and Arnold
John Parker..... 1 00
Small sums 11 10
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Total $12 10

KINTORE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 1 00
Col by Misses House and Ross 7 24
Col by Misses Lues and McMurray 4 85
Col by Misses Campbell and Morrison 6 63
Col by Misses Lamont and Henderson..... 4 77
Col by Misses Phillips and Herford 5 00
Robert Eldon 1 00
John Douglas 1 00
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Total $31 49

KIPPEN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 40
Col by C Warring
G Thomson, sen..... 1 00
S Thomson 1 00
Small sums 4 00
Col by Misses Sproat and Elgie
Rev H Cameron..... 1 00
Small sums 5 00
Col by Miss McEwan
John McEwen..... 00
W Keith 1 00
Small sums 2 50

Col by Miss M J Mellis
Small sums $7 15

Total $26 05

KIRKFIELD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 50
Col by Mesdames Armstrong and McLennan
John McTaggart..... 1 00
Rev D D McLennan.. 1 00
Mrs Sarah McLennan 1 00
Rev F Chisholm..... 1 00
Walter McEwan..... 1 00
Small sums 4 35
Col by Misses Murray and McRae
Small sums 0 45
Col by Mesdames T Fox and T Thompson
Small sums 5 00

Total $17 30

KIRKTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 2 21
Col by Misses McCallum and Merry..... 1 59
Col by Misses H Brethour and C Switzer ... 5 52
Col by Misses L Betty and H M Switzer.... 4 05
Col by Misses M Tufts and M Summerville.. 6 00

Total $19 37

LAKEFIELD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..10 23
Balance on hand..... 0 93
Col by J Snellgrove
John Hull..... 1 00
Rev N Clark 1 00
Small sums 3 85
Col by J Gartrett junr
Small sums 3 25
Col by Dr Brody
Small sums 2 75
Col by A McKee
A McKee 1 00
Small sums 7 00
Col by S J Nelson
Small sums 4 75
Col by S Withey
Small sums 2 60
Col by R A Strickland
G R Shields..... 1 00
Miss Strickland 1 00
Agnes Strickland 1 00
Mrs R A Strickland .. 2 00
Rev M Gander 2 00
J C Sherin 1 00
Small sums 5 00

Total.....$51 36

LAKESIDE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$1 58
Col by Messrs Marshal and Kitmer 4 00
Col by Messrs Finnie and Sutherland
Small sums $3 34
James McLaren 1 00
R Armstrong 1 00
A H Harris 1 00
T Sparks, M D 1 00
J Thompson..... ..... 1 00
Col by Messrs Cole and Burns
Small sums 1 00
Col by Messrs Taylor and Towle
Small sums 2 45
Col by Messrs Hawksworth and Tims
Small sums 4 74
Col by Messrs Brown and Uren
Small sums 1 25
Rev T B Brown 1 00
J Brown 1 00

Total.....$28 91

LASKAY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$5 30
Col by Miss Ross
James Macallum..... 2 00
R Ross 1 00
J Marsh..... 1 00
Rev J Carmichael 2 00
J Jenkins 1 50
A L Gillies 1 00
Thomas Lawson 1 00
John Love..... 1 00
John Dickinson 1 00
Small sums 11 25
Col by Misses Tinlin and Boys
A Macallum 1 00
E J Davis..... 1 00
Andrew Davis..... 1 00
Small sums 12 50
Col by Misses Macmurchy and Minnie Wood
Jos Readman 1 00
J N Harvey..... . 1 00
John Young..... 2 00
Small sums 9 25
Col by Miss Dunning
Small sums 8 50

Total.....$65 30

LESKARD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$0 50
James Callville 1 00
Small sums 3 80

Total.....$5 30

LINDSAY BRANCH.

Col by Mrs Spier and Miss Thexton
Mr. Lockwood 1 00
F C Taylor 1 00
S A McMurtrey..... 2 00
J Ketchum 1 00
D J McIntyre $2 00
J L Whiteside..... 1 00
John McLennan..... 1 00
A Campbell 1 00
M Jackson 1 00
Edmond Gregory 2 00
E A M..... 1 00
S Perrin..... 1 00
H Gladman 1 00
J McCammon 1 00
A friend 1 00
J R Dundas..... 1 00
J Neelands 1 00
James Watson..... 1 00
Adam Hudspeth..... 2 00
John Dobson..... 1 00
Small sums 14 60
Col by Mrs Mason, Mrs Walters and Mrs Rose
Small sums 3 25

Total.....$41 85

LISTOWEL BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 14
G S Climie & Sons.... 1 00
Mrs Livingstone..... 1 00
George Draper 1 00
Mrs P Campbell..... 1 00
J W Scott 1 00
Miss A M Johnston ... 1 00
Roy McGregor Nichol. 1 15
Daniel Porteous 1 00
Wm Hamilton..... 1 00
David Roy 1 00
Mrs W Tatham 1 00
Mrs James Crozier.... 1 00
Rev J G Scott..... 1 00
Charles Shields..... 1 00
John Large 1 00
Ferguson Elliot 1 00
Janet Drynan 1 00
John Mack 1 00
D D Campbell..... 1 00
R Martin 1 00
Rev J W Bell 1 00
Small sums 40 99

Total.....$64 28

LITTLE BRITAIN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 81
Rev A Clarke 1 00
John Brand 1 00
John Dix 1 00
Wm Morgan 1 00
Thos A Davidson 1 00
James Smith 1 00
S H Wetherell 1 00
Jacob Whiteside..... 1 00
James Blewett 1 00
Mrs R T Whiteside .. 1 00
Small sums 6 13

Total.....$19 94

LLOYDTOWN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 32
Col by Wm Hall

Wm Hall $1 00
Alexander Thompson.. 2 00
Small sums 1 75
Col by Wm Pinkerton
William Pinkerton.... 1 00
Ellen Pinkerton 10 00
John Courtney 1 00
Small sums 7 35
Col by A Tegart and S Davis
Anderson Tegart 1 00
Thomas Winter 1 00
Small sums..... 13 35
Col by Wm McKinley and Edw Brandon
John Watson 1 00
Edward Brandon 1 25
W McKinley and wife 3 00
John McKinley, sen .. 2 00
Joseph Watson 1 00
James Bonnar..... 1 00
Mrs Fuller 1 00
Small sums 7 40
Col by Jno Brown
Arthur Armstrong.... 4 00
J H Tyson 4 00
Anthony Eastwood .. 2 00
James Lawrence..... 1 00
John Winter 1 00
Henry Berry 1 00
Rev Richard Clarke .. 1 00
Joseph McGunnis 1 00
James Henderson 1 00
Thomas Borden 1 00
William Porter 1 00
— McCabe 1 00
William Thompson.... 1 00
Thomas Borden 1 00

Total.....$81 42

LUTHER BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 35
Sam. Hambly 1 00
Small sums 5 95

Total.....$8 30

MANCHESTER BRANCH.

Col by
Misses Watt & Spreng. 3 75
Misses Patterson and Jackson 8 81
Misses Dobie and Anderson 2 83
Misses McKenzie and Moss (late) 8 65
Misses Cousins and Straughan 4 33
Misses Stalker and McGee..... 3 64
Misses Handford and Palmer 2 91

Total.....$34 92

MANILLA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 9 02
John L Grose 1 00
Arch McFadyen.....$1 00
Dr A Luke 1 00
J H Wylie 1 00
Malcolm Brown 1 00
Elias Bowes..... 1 00
Mrs Bowes 1 00
John Clarke..... 1 00
Chas & Willie Shuster. 1 00
Alex Grant 1 00
George Douglas 1 00
Mrs Douglas 1 00
John McIntyre 1 00
John McCallum 1 00
Isaac Whitesmith 1 00
William Coone 1 00
John Michael 1 00
D D McLean..... 1 00
Small sums 7 00

Total $34 02

MARKDALE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 34
Col by Misses Speers and Armstrong
A Speers 1 00
G S Bowes 1 00
Small sums 15 66

Total $19 00

MARKHAM BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 51
Col by Mesdames Crowle and J Wales
Mrs Crowle 1 00
F C W Ash 1 00
F A Reesor 1 00
C Beierl..... 1 00
Dr Patterson 1 00
Mrs Mason 1 00
Mrs H R Wales 1 00
Small sums 9 35
Col by Misses Holden and Lawson
Mrs Byrom 1 00
S Holden 1 00
A Barker 1 00
James Speight..... 1 00
W Miller 1 00
Small sums 8 15
Col by Mrs J Graham and Miss E Crosby
J Graham..... 1 00
Rev J Carmichael 1 00
L Crosby 1 00
Small sums 3 95

Total.....$39 96

MEDONTE BRANCH.

Col by Jesse Miller and Annie Brotherston
William Ritchie 2 00
William Thompson .. 1 00
George Miller 1 00
Robert Miller 1 00
J D Hough 1 00
Small sums 2 00
Col by Mary J Fowler and Mary Brotherston
Alexander Fowler $2 00
Small sums 2 80
For 1877 ..... 1 20

Total.....$14 00

MELROSE BRANCH.

Donald Anderson ... 1 00
Rev John Turnbull .. 1 00
James Forrester 1 00
Alexander McLaren .. 1 00
Jacob Eaton..... 1 00
Small sums 7 40

Total.....$12 40

MILLBROOK BRANCH.

Col at annual meeting.. 2 17
Col by Misses Maggie Armstrong, Maggie Orr and Alice Turner
George Needler 2 00
H W Judd 2 00
Peter Turner 2 00
Samuel Jameson..... 1 50
James Might 1 00
J M Kirkhoffer 1 00
Miss Allen 1 00
Mrs Allen..... 1 00
Rev T L Scott..... 1 00
Arch Wood 1 00
S G Kells 1 00
Rev J Cameron 1 00
A E Hayter..... 1 00
James Fitzgerald 1 00
James Kerr 1 00
W H Russell 1 00
Small sums 17 28
Col by Misses Whitfield and McKnight
Mrs S Russell 2 00
John Fallis 2 00
Robert McKnight 1 00
Ralph Gardiner 1 00
William Whitfield 1 00
Samuel Brown..... 1 00
Francis Mulligan 1 00
Mathew Smith 1 00
Zad Burnhart 1 00
Small sums 13 35

Total.....$61 13

MILL POINT BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 65
E W Rathbun..... 2 00
W R Aylsworth 1 00
F S Rathbun 1 00
Wm Geo Egar..... 1 00
Rev J Craig..... 1 00
J C McLeod 1 00
Small sums 5 45

Total.....$15 10

MILTON BRANCH.

Col by Misses Bastedo and Colling

James Hollinrake $1 00
Thomas Henderson ... 1 00
Austin Willmott..... 2 00
George McNair 1 00
Dr Robertson 2 00
Henry Watson 2 00
William Bews 1 00
E Booth 1 00
M Colling 1 00
McCollom Bros 1 00
J H Bennith 1 00
John Eadie 1 00
F Barclay..... 1 00
G Andrews 1 00
D W Campbell 1 00
Mr Vanallen 1 00
Mrs McKindsay..... 1 00
W J Mackenzie 1 00
Robert Dobie 1 00
A F Johnson 1 00
W T P Eager 1 00
Small sums 8 25

Col by Misses McGuffin and Husband

Socrates Center 1 00
Mrs Hatton..... 1 00
Jos Brothers 1 00
J D Cummins 1 00
Mr Moffat 1 00
Mrs Moffat 1 00
Mrs D W Campbell .. 1 00
Small sums 5 10

Col by Messrs W Center and Robert Hill

Finlay McCollum 1 00
William Center 1 00
Jane McCollum 1 00
Small sums 7 08

Col by Messrs G Cottrell and Thomas Chisholm

Thomas Chisholm 1 00
George Cottrell 1 00
William Elliot..... 1 00
D C Robertson 1 00
Malcolm McNaughton 1 00
Small sums 6 50

Col by Messrs G Chisholm and Geo Hardy

Adam Sproat 1 00
Margaret Murray 1 00
Absalom Dixon 1 00
Thomas Chisholm 1 00
Edwin Brain 1 00
Small sums 16 38

Col by Messrs Harrison and Hogg

Thomas Rixon..... 1 00
Mrs R Harrison 1 00
Johnson Agnew 1 00
James Sherwood..... 1 00
Small sums 4 00

Col by Messrs Scott and Harrison

Johnson Harrison $2 00
James Harrison 1 00
William Scott 2 00
Small sums 4 25

Col by Messrs Finlay and John Chisholm

Robert Ferguson..... 1 00
Small sums 2 76

Col by Messrs Alex Green and J Walker

Small sums 2 00
Col at annual meeting.. 1 50

Total.....$111 81

MOLESWORTH BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 74
Duncan McDonald.... 1 00
Donald McDonald.... 1 25
John McDonald 1 00
Alexander McDonald.. 1 00
Peter Stewart 1 00
Wm McKee 1 00
Mrs Love 1 00
Andrew Mitchel..... 1 00
Robert Elliott 1 00
William Campbell 1 00
C W Watson 1 00
Mrs C W Watson 1 00
Small sums 23 41

Total.....$39 40

MONO MILLS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 4 37

Col by Misses Cobane and Armstrong

Edward Cobane 1 00
James Lewis 1 00
Small sums 1 85

Col by Misses Crozier and McKim

James Wallace 1 00
Joshua Crozier 1 00
Samuel and A Crozier. 1 00
mall sums 2 75

Col by Misses H J Moffeit and M J Potter

Adam Moffeit 1 00
Mrs Jackson Potter... 1 00
Robert Henry 1 00
Thomas Potter 1 00
Small sums 0 25

Col by John Richardson

Rev A Lewis 2 00
Rev David Williams.. 1 00
Robert Lawrence, M D 1 00
William Henderson... 1 00
George McManus 1 00
William Vance 1 00
Hugh Potter 1 00
William Whitlem 1 00
Alexander Spiers 1 00
John Richardson..... 1 00
Thomas and Wm Ford 1 00
Edward and A Stinson 1 00
Richard Allen..... 1 00
Small sums $6 15

Total.....$39 37

MOOREFELD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 89
Rev Mr Stinson 1 00
Mr Brodie..... 1 00
Mr Robinson 1 00
Dr Maudsley 1 00
Small sums 11 90

Total.....$15 90

MOUNT PLEASANT BRANCH.

Col by Misses McEwen and Devlin

W L Jones. 1 00
John Devlin..... 1 00
George Bryce 1 00
J R Ellis 1 00
Dr Marquis 2 00
Rev Thos Alexander .. 1 00
John Thompson 1 00
Mrs Bryce 1 00
Rev A C Hill 1 00
Rev Thomas Stobs.... 1 00
Small sums 6 65

Col by Misses Knight and Hallowell

Small sums 5 07

Col by Misses Silverthorn and Racey

Mrs John Atkinson ... 1 00
Mrs W Biggar 1 00
Small sums 2 74

Col by Misses May Long and Alice Heaton

A Townsend..... 1 00
Charles Phelp 1 00
Small sums 2 05

Total.....$25 51

NASSAGAWEYA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 73
Youart estate 8 00
George Stranger..... 1 00
Mrs Stranger 1 00

School Section No. 8—per Miss Bonsfield

Miss Bonsfield..... 1 00
Small sums 6 25

School Section No. 3—per Mr Moore

J Milne..... 1 00
John Easterbrook 1 00
Dr Winn 1 00
Rev. H McPherson .. 1 00
Small sums 8 76

School Section No. 7

William Loggie 1 00
Small sums 3 09

School Section No. 4—per Mr Collins

Mr. Collins 1 00
John Fletcher..... 1 03
Rev. D McKenzie 1 00
Mr Weatherel..... 1 00

N Norish $1 00
D McFadyen 1 00
Small sums 6 08

Total.....$49 89

NELSON MIDDLE ROAD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 25
Col by Misses Walker and Fothergill
Samuel B Alton 1 00
Hiram Walker 1 00
Thomas Blanchard.... 1 00
Thomas Alton..... 1 00
David Alton 1 00
Robert McCarter 1 00
Small sums 6 75
Col by Misses Martha Burnby and A Breckon
John Fothergill 2 00
John Breckon, senr.... 1 00
John Breckon, junr.... 1 00
James Dynes 1 00
Thomas Atkinson 1 00
Small sums 4 65

Total.....$25 65

NIAGARA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$7 00
Col by Miss M Ball
John W Ball 50 00
Miss M Ball..... 5 00
Maggie Ball 1 00
R N Ball 3 00
Miss Isabella Niven ... 5 00
Mrs Alex Servos..... 1 00
Mrs Crouch 1 00
P C Servos 4 00
Alex Sampson..... 1 00
J A R N 1 00
Mrs Corneen..... 1 00
Chas Rhind 2 00
Small sums 3 00
Col by the Misses Cathline
Walter Dickson 1 00
Fred Morson 1 00
T P Blain..... 1 00
T M Rowland 1 00
J McCarthy 1 00
John Fulton..... 1 00
Wm Hacker 1 00
A Friend 1 50
John Mackenzie..... 1 00
Robt Warren 1 00
Peter Clark 1 00
H Paffard..... 1 00
Rev C Campbell..... 1 00
John Rogers..... 1 00
Mrs John Blake 2 00
Mrs E Wallace 1 00
Rev John Mills 1 00
Mrs F Paffard..... 2 00
A Andrews 1 00
Small sums 5 05
Col by Miss Carnochan
Miss Carnochan $1 00
Thos Elliott..... 1 00
H L Lansing 1 00
Capt Barkett 2 50
J Hughes 1 00
H Skelton..... 2 00
Small sums 2 65

Total.....$122 70

NORTH PELHAM BRANCH.

Col by Mrs R H Comfort
R H Comfort 1 00
Peter Brown 1 00
John McGlashan 1 00
James P Pegg 1 00
E Secord 1 00
W Cross 1 00
B Crumb 1 00
Small sums 3 10
Col by Miss H Hutt
W H Fry 1 00
Jas E Hutt 1 00
J Tice 1 00
Small sums 3 25
Col by Mrs A G Patterson
Rev M Baxter..... 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Col by Miss A H Thomas
Small sums 1 75

Total.....$20 60

NORWICH BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 78
James Barr 2 00
A Hains 2 00
T Batty..... 1 00
C Cookman 1 00
Mrs H Wood 1 00
G E Steinhoff 1 00
Edwin Palmer..... 1 00
T H Dredge..... 1 00
J S Willson 1 00
P H Clark 1 00
John A Tidey 1 00
Howard Nicholson.... 1 00
D M Donald 1 00
Thos Merritt 1 00
J S Mercer 1 00
A Wedin 1 00
W M Martin 1 00
M Deans 1 00
Small sums 15 99

Total $38 77

OAKVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 7 50
Col by Misses Bethell and Robertson
Mr Laing 1 00
Mrs McArthur 1 00
S B Gantin 1 00
Mr Bethell 2 00
Jas McDonald, senr .. 1 00
Wm Robertson 2 00
Mrs W E Hagerman..$1 00
Mrs Clarkson 1 00
S McCraney..... 1 00
Small sums 9 40
Col by Miss Lean
Isaac Warcup 5 00
Jas McDonald, junr .. 1 00
J A Williams 1 00
Henry Wilson..... 1 00
Wm Wass..... 1 00
C W Coote 1 00
Mrs Watkins 1 00
Mrs Lean 1 00
Small sums 4 40
Col by Miss A Robertson
Andrew Robertson .. 1 00
J C Puden 1 00
Rev Geo Evans 1 00
Miss Nisbet 1 00
Mrs Alex Robertson .. 2 00
Chas Tucker..... 2 00
Mrs Tucker 1 00
Small sums 6 75
Rev Mr Meikle 1 00
R W Smith 5 00
W McCraney 2 00
Rev Mr Wirrell 1 00
Small sums 0 50

Total.....$69 50

OAKWOOD BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 32
Jessie Weldon..... 1 00
J F Cumming 1 00
J W Savage..... 1 00
W H McLachlin..... 1 00
Miss W Foster..... 1 00
W Lownsborough 1 00
Small sums 7 25

Total.....$16 57

ONEIDA BRANCH.

Col by Misses Helen Elder and Ann Dunnet
Peter Elder 1 00
Andrew Dunnet..... 1 00
John Murray 1 00
William Grant..... 1 00
Adam Marshall 1 00
James Baird..... 1 00
James Elder 5 00
Rev A Grant 20 00
Henry Jackson 1 00
Small sums 2 85
Col by Misses M A Peart and Margaret Harper
Small sums 6 65
Col by Mrs T Armstrong and Miss Anderson
Small sums 2 00
Col by Misses Jane Murray and Jane Knox
John Knox 1 00
Andrew Murray..... 1 00
John Smith 1 00
James Stark 1 00

John Stark $1 00
Thomas Martin 1 00
Small sums 3 90
Col by Misses M Reid and McBride
John Reid..... 1 00
Edward Rutherford .. 1 00
Small sums 3 75
Col by Misses Thompson and Culverston
James Ferguson..... 1 00
Robert Ferguson 1 00
John H Rogers 1 0
David Thompson 5 0
George Murray 1 0
Small sums 6 2

Total $75 6

ORONO BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 1 7
J L Tucker 1 0
Wm Long..... 2 0
Isaac Jewel 1 0
Lydia Jewel..... 1 0
Alex Bieth 1 00
Small sums 31 85

Total $39 55

OTONABEE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting 4 09
Col by Misses Read and Campbell
Rev F Andrews 1 00
Rev Mr Wicher 1 00
James McNeil..... 1 00
Thomas Campbell 1 00
James Dickson 1 00
John Smith 1 00
Dr McCrea 1 00
George Read 1 50
George Hunt 1 00
Small sums 9 37
Col by Misses Howson and McIntyre
Duncan Drummond .. 1 00
John Kindred 1 00
William Drummond .. 1 00
Small sums 13 90
Col by Misses Armstrong and Carter
David Armstrong 1 00
William Carter 1 00
Mrs A Short 1 00
Small sums 8 75
Col by Misses Graystock and Dickson
Small sums 4 01
Col by Misses Laing and McCamus
Small sums 7 70
Col by Misses Bicket and Cameron
James Cameron 1 00
Mrs Powell 1 00
Small sums 13 35
Col by Misses Byrenn and Short
J Armstrong $1 00
Small sums 8 50

Total $87 97

OWEN SOUND.

Col at public meeting..15 00
Wm Kennedy 2 00
D Melville 2 00
R Paterson 2 00
W H Prittie..... 2 00
H C Ross 2 00
Wm Roy 2 00
J Caton..... 1 00
W Loyd..... 1 00
R McLelland 1 00
J Pottenger 1 00
T Speirs 1 00
G Price..... 1 00
T Blackeny 1 00
B Allen 1 00
J Masson 1 00
J Creasor 1 00
Rev D Morrison..... 1 00
George Corbet..... 1 00
T Kennedy 1 00
D Christie..... 1 00
Rev J Hindley 1 00
G Cowper..... 1 00
G Anderson 1 00
R McKnight 1 00
W Bannerman..... 1 00
J Armstrong 1 00
Small sums 34 97

Total.....$81 97

PAINSWICK BRANCH.

Col by Miss Sibbald
John Galbraith 1 50
Small sums 4 19
Col by Miss Warnica
John L Warnica..... 1 00
Small sums 2 75
Col by Miss Ross
Small sums 4 80

Total.....$14 24

PAISLEY BRANCH.

G W Malloch 10 00
A Lefroy 2 00
J Laidlaw..... 1 00
D Sinclair..... 1 00
J J Richardson 1 00
Rev J Straith 1 00
Mrs McNichol..... 1 00
Alex McNeill 1 00
A McMorrine 1 00
J Kinnear..... 1 00
R M Hay 1 00
Small sums 54 00

Total.....$75 00

PALMERSTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 96
Col by Misses Cowan and Touchborn
J R Hamilton $1 00
J D Caswell..... 1 00
James Gamble..... 1 00
A friend 1 00
Small sums 8 30
Col by Misses Jessie A Smith and Jackson
Malcom McMasters... 5 00
Small sums 3 40
Col by Misses Allen and McKague
Small sums 2 40
Col by Misses Ann Leslie and Spears
Small sums 1 31
Col by Misses McComb and Craig
Small sums 1 45
Col by Misses Catherine McTavish and Bishop
Small sums 1 45
Col by Miss Christina Plant
Small sums 2 40

Total.....$31 78

PARRY SOUND BRANCH.

Col by Mrs Beatty
Dr Wm Beatty 5 00
J S Walton M D..... 5 00
J M Ansley 2 00
Wm Holditch 5 00
James Wallace 1 00
A L Holmes..... 1 00
James Oastler 1 00
Mr Taylor..... 1 00
Rev W Smyth..... 1 00
Jas Badger 1 00
Jos Farrer..... 1 60
E Barbean 1 00
Mr. Weller 1 00
Small sums 2 50
Col by Mr Anderson
George Anderson 1 00
Mr Paxton 1 00
W Symington 1 00
Small sums 1 85

Total.....$34 35

PETERBOROUGH BRANCH.

Colonel Haultain 10 00
J W Haultain 5 00
Ponsette and Roger... 3 00
A Hall 1 00
J H Roper 1 00
C A Weller 1 00
Richard Hall 1 50
John Walton 1 00
T W Robinson 1 00
W Davidson..... 1 00
W G Thomson..... 1 00
Peter Connal 1 00
W G Ferguson..... 1 00
Isaac Robinson 1 00
Rev E F Torrance.... 4 00
Walter Paterson..... 1 00

A friend.....$1 00
R A Brown 1 00
John Erskine 1 00
George Edmison..... 1 00
G E Shaw..... 1 00
H C Barrett..... 1 00
J F Jeffers 2 00
James Hall, M P 1 00
W A Morrow 1 00
G A Cox 1 00
R Johnston 1 00
W W Johnston 1 00
H C Rogers 1 00
Rev C Watson 1 00
Rev E Roberts 1 00
Dr Kincaid 1 00
A C Dunlop..... 1 00
Rev D Mulhern 1 00
R P Boucher, M D.... 1 00
Dr Burnham..... 1 00
J Stratton..... 1 00
D W Dumble 1 00
John Whyte..... 1 00
W C Nichols 1 00
Rev Mr Willoughby .. 2 00
Mrs Hay 1 00
Rev A Bell 2 00
Mrs Nicholl 2 00
James Edwards . . 2 00
Rev V Clementi 1 00
Judge Dennistoun 1 00
James Best 1 00
Mrs T G Hazlett..... 1 00
A Jackson..... 1 00
Wm Cameron 1 00
W M Manson 1 00
W Wand 1 00
R D Rogers 1 00
W Fairweather & Co.. 1 00
J Carnegie 1 00
James M Hall Sheriff.. 2 00
W H Taylor, M D..... 1 00
R Fairbairn..... 1 00
George Johnston..... 1 00
Small sums 24 25

Total... .....$108 75

PERCY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 83
Col by Misses Romain and Parks
J Runciman..... 1 00
D Douglas 1 00
Mr Sells..... 1 00
Small sums 11 05
Col by Misses Boyce and Redner
G N Blair 1 00
A F Peterson 1 00
A Douglas 2 00
Mrs G Boyce 1 00
Mrs Redner 1 00
George Boyce 1 00
Small sums 9 00
Col by Misses Douglas and Pollock
R P Hurlburt $1 00
John Douglas 1 00
James Hamilton..... 1 00
A friend..... 1 00
Rev D Sutherland 1 00
J Carter 1 00
Mrs M McCrea 1 00
Small sums 20 45
Col by Misses Angus and Honey
James Ewings 2 00
Small sums 17 19

Total.....$79 52

PICTON BRANCH.

Rev John Learoyd.... 2 00
Rev J McMeachan... 2 00
Rev Joseph Young .. 2 00
Rev C S Eastman 2 00
W J Porte 1 00
C S Wilson 2 00
W W Colton, M.D.... 1 00
Thos Bog 1 00
W H R Allison 1 00
R S Roblin 1 00
P W Post 1 00
S M Congor 1 00
A Friend 1 00
Walter Mackenzie 1 00
John H Allan 1 00
John S Clute 1 00
Dr Chapman 1 00
A Youmans 1 00
Stewart Wilson 1 00
Mrs Washburn 1 00
Rebecca B Hill 1 00
W Scott..... 1 00
Rev E Loucks..... 2 00
W T Yarwood 1 00
Mrs Wilson 1 00
M A Barker..... 1 00
Jasper Dingman 1 00
Mrs J Johnson 1 00
G E Vandusen 1 00
Capt Downes 1 00
Capt E B Smith..... 1 00
Mrs E McMullen 1 00
Mrs H A Johnson.... 1 00
Richard Youmans 1 00
Robert Boyle 1 00
Mrs Gilmour 1 00
Mrs James Fralick..... 1 00
Mrs J P Roblin 1 00
Mrs J L McDonald .. 1 00
Small sums 27 60
Collections 10 56

Total $83 16

PINKERTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 00
Col by Misses Garland and McDonald
Richard Garland..... 1 00
S A King 1 00
Matthew Pinkerton .. 1 00
J G Douglas, M.D.... 1 00
A C Fraser $1 00
Mrs Pinkerton..... 1 00
Small sums 6 30
Col by Misses Clark and Hall
Wm Clark 1 00
Wm Fairservice 1 00
Charles Mickle 4 00
Small sums 3 85
Col by Misses McKee and Leask.
John M Wells 1 00
Small sums 3 00
Col by Misses Walker and Flett
Small sums 4 55
Col by Misses Mutrie and Moffat
Small sums 3 55

Total.....$36 25

PORT ALBERT BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 07
Col by Misses C Murray and A Dunbar
Small sums 3 00
Col by C Hawkins and A Mahaffey
Small sums 4 50
Col by Misses Dowson and Baxter
Small sums 2 10
Col by Misses E Graham and E Simpson
Small sums 2 85

Total.....$15 52

PORT ELGIN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 00
Rev James Gourlay .. 1 00
James Hewetson..... 1 00
Arthur Ross..... 1 00
Small sums 43 45

Total.....$47 45

PORT HOPE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..16 73
H H Meredith..... 8 00
William Craig 5 00
Wm Craig, junr 5 00
Saml Lelean. 5 00
T M Benson... ..... 2 00
Mrs Arthur Williams.. 2 00
Mrs J T Williams 2 00
D Chisholm 2 00
Jno Mulligan 2 00
Wm Quay..... 2 00
James Baird..... 2 00
P Brown 2 00
L F Smith 2 00
Hon B Seymour 2 00
James Craick 2 00
W A Copeland 2 00
Mrs O'Meara 2 00
Wm Gardner 2 00
Mrs Hockin 1 00

S Williams $1 00
Mrs Spaulding 1 00
Mr Barnett 1 00
Mrs Woods 1 00
Mrs Heyden..... 1 00
Mrs Smart 1 00
Mrs Chalk 1 00
Mrs Elias Smith 1 00
Mrs Quinlin..... 1 00
Mr Vinden 1 00
T W Benner..... 1 00
Mrs Barrett..... 1 00
W H Parsons 1 00
Mrs Peplow..... 1 00
Miss Lyall 1 00
Mrs Hallworth 1 00
Mr Clemes 1 00
Mr Healy 1 00
Mr Evans..... 1 00
Geo Hope..... 1 00
Mrs Woods 1 00
Mr Bedford 1 00
Mr Barrett 1 00
Mrs C Seymour 1 50
Mr Irwin 1 00
Stanley Patterson 2 00
F Neelands 1 00
W Williamson 1 50
Mrs Simpson 1 00
Mrs E Douglas 1 00
Mrs Shortt 1 00
Mrs Richardson 1 00
Charlotte Kells 1 00
Fred Lockwood 1 00
J Little & Co 1 00
W A Wadsworth 1 00
Jno A Barker 1 00
H C Russell..... 1 00
Thomas Wilcocks 1 00
Mrs Bemish 1 00
Mrs Stewart 1 00
Mrs S Robertson 1 00
Mrs W Brodie..... 1 00
D Smart 1 00
Mrs J D Smith 1 00
Mrs Fountain 1 00
R Dickson 1 00
Dunn & Co 1 00
Mrs Burnham 1 00
Jas Leverish 1 00
Mrs Jno Patterson..... 1 50
Mrs Herriman..... 1 00
Mrs Jno Wright..... 1 00
Mrs Clemesha 1 00
Rev Jas Kestle 1 00
Mrs Powers 1 00
Mrs Tapp 1 00
Dr Clemesha 1 00
Mrs Donald 1 00
J F Clark 1 00
Mrs Cassie 1 00
J A Montgomery 1 00
Mrs Kirkhoffer 1 00
Small sums ... .71 75

Total.....$205 98

PORT PERRY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$3 82
Col by Misses Gordon and Allen
Geo Currie 1 00
A A Allen..... 1 00
Small sums 9 45
Col by Misses Nellie Nott and Jewett
John Nott 1 00
Rev J Douglas 1 00
Miss Horton 1 00
D McBride 1 00
Wm Brock 1 00
J H Brown 1 00
Small sums 15 25
Col by Mrs Jas Paxton and Miss Bigelow
John Rolph 1 00
Small sums 9 00
Col by Misses E Johnson and Grace Burnham
Rev W Prosser 1 0
Small sums 10 0

Total.....$57 52

PRINCE ALBERT BRANCH.

A Ross 4 00
D Cash 4 00
J Wright 4 00
T C Forman..... 4 00
Alex Graham 1 00
W Quance 1 00
Geo Bates... ..... 1 00
Rd Walsh..... 1 00
R W Johnston..... 1 00
Jas Baird 1 00
J Bougard..... 1 00
Thos Courtice 1 00
W H Hayes..... 1 00
S C Phelp..... 1 00
Mrs Phelp..... 1 00
R Foster 1 00
Mungo Weir 1 00
C Hiscock..... 1 00
C Sherrard 1 00
Collection 2 00
Small sums 4 95

Total $37 95

EAST PUSLINCH BRANCH.

Col by John Cockburn.
Rev A McKay, D.D.. 1 00
A Friend 1 00
Hugh Cockburn 1 00
William McDonald .. 1 00
Mrs G McLean 1 00
Sam Falconbridge 1 00
James McLean 1 00
Small sums 4 45
Col by L Kennedy and James Simpson
Wm Simpson 1 00
Matthew Elliott, senr. 1 00
William Nicoll 1 00
A Friend 1 00

Robert Clark $1 00
John McFarlane..... 1 00
Small sums 7 45
Col by John Clark
John Clark 1 00
Malcolm Clark 1 00
Duncan McKenzie..... 1 00
Donald Clark 1 00
Small sums 2 00
Col by Alex McCaig
James McCaig 1 00
Small sums 4 10
Col by Miss McFarlane
Hugh McNaughton .. 1 00
John McDiarmid 1 00
John Smith 1 00
Small sums 2 25
Col by Miss McFarlane
A McKenzie 1 00
Robert Beattie 1 00
Small sums 3 75
Col by M McNaughton
William Leslie 1 00
Malcolm McNaughton 1 00
Walter Cowan..... 1 00
John Marshall..... 1 00
Dr Ort n 1 00
Wm Ross 1 00
Small sums 4 25

Total.....$57 25

RICHMOND HILL BRANCH.

R Marsh 4 00
J Duncan 1 00
Wm Russell..... 1 00
T Tyrrill 1 00
Mrs W Lund 1 00
D Grey 1 00
Eva G Legar 1 00
Mrs G J Cook..... 1 00
Mrs Thos Cook 4 00
T Cook 1 00
Mrs W Cook 1 00
Mrs W Cook, senr.... 1 00
G Leaf 1 00
J Cruickshanks 1 00
Mrs E Leager 1 00
A Marsh 1 00
T Carscaden..... 1 00
H McCutcheon 1 00
Dr Langstaff 4 00
A Law 2 00
Mr Freak 1 00
W Atkinson..... 1 00
H Sanderson 1 00
Mrs P Crosby 1 00
Rev J W McCallum .. 1 00
H A Bernard 1 00
Wm Wright..... 1 00
W C Patterson 4 00
J W Fenwick 1 00
P Patterson, M.PP .. 5 00
M B Crosby..... 1 00
Small sums 38 05

Total..... ....$86 05

RIPLEY BRANCH.

Col by Misses R Fowler and E McDonald
Small sums $3 75
Col by Misses E McKenzie and A MLeod
Small sums 2 21
Col by Misses J McTaggart and C McMurchie
Small sums 2 84
Col by Misses M McDonald and C McLeod
Rev A Sutherland 1 00
M McLennan 1 00
P D McInnis 1 00
Small sums 3 85
Col by Misses McLeod and M McLennan
Small sums 3 30
Col by Misses A McLean and MSmith
Small sums 3 45
Col by Miss C McDonald
Small sums 5 00
Col by Misses F McDonald and Murray
Small sums 1 45
Col by Misses C Martin and M McLean
James MacLeod 1 00
Small sums 2 85
Col by Misses L Sutherland and M McKay
Small sums 3 00
Col by Misses M McKenzie and C McLeod
Small sums 5 30
Col by Misses M Campbell and C McIver
Small sums 2 77

Total.....$44 77

SAULT STE. MARIE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$7 70
Col at Presbyterian Church 5 30
Sheriff Carney 10 00
Rev E F Wilson..... 2 00
Col by Misses Ironside and Carney
Small sums 6 00

Total.....$31 00

SCARBOROUGH BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$9 40
Col by R Purdie, R Green and S Purvis
James Purvis 1 00
H McDonald 1 00
John Johnston 1 00
William Green 1 00
D McDermott..... 1 00
Wm Purdie 1 00
Adam Bell 1 00
Mrs Green $1 00
John Stobo 1 00
Rev M Macgillivray .. 1 00
Small sums 13 15
Col by R Young, R D Thomson and W Walton
Robert Martin..... 1 00
D G Stephenson..... 1 00
Wm Bell 1 00
Thomas Johnson 1 00
David Martin 1 00
A Johnson 1 00
Leslie Armstrong 1 00
Wiliam Walton 1 00
Small sums 8 05
Col by Henry Miller, S Rennie and J Mason
George Gibson..... 1 00
Hugh Clark 2 00
John Kennedy..... 1 00
J G Patterson..... 1 00
J L Patterson 1 00
William Oliver 1 00
Rev R P Mackay 2 00
Simpson Rennie..... 1 00
William Hood..... 1 00
William Clark..... 2 00
S Horsey 1 00
J Morgan 1 00
H Mason..... 1 00
John Gibson..... 1 00
Small sums 12 95
Col by John Everest and Brown
Robert Davidson 2 00
Mrs J Ashbridge 1 00
Thomas Brown 1 00
J T Brown 1 00
Small sums 6 15
Col by J Patterson, Thos Hood and R Horsey, for the year 1877
Gordon Rennie 1 00
John Kennedy 1 00
Hugh Clark 2 00
James G Patterson.... 1 00
Samuel Kennedy 1 00
Thomas Patterson 1 00
William Clark..... 1 00
William Clark, jun ... 1 00
S Horsey 1 00
William Hood..... 1 00
John Morgan 1 00
Henry Mason 1 00
Simpson Rennie 1 00
John Gibson..... 1 00
Small sums 10 10
Col by Geo Elliot, J Stonehouse and J Duncan
John Elliot 1 00
John Milne 1 00
Archd Elliot 1 00
Marshal Macklin 1 00
William Ferguson 1 00
Small sums 12 70
Col by J Sterling, Adam Russell and W McCowan
James Russell $1 00
Andrew Fleming..... 1 00
William Crawford 1 00
Thos Davidson..... 1 00
John Crawford 1 00
James Sterling 1 00
Agnes Muir 1 00
James Weir 1 00
David Brown 1 00
Small sums 7 60
Col by Isaac Thomson, Wm Palmer and A Young
W Glendining 1 00
A B 1 00
Andrew Young..... 1 00
Amos Thomson 1 00
Small sums 19 35
Col by W A Milne and John Sewell
W A Milne 4 00
Mrs W A Milne..... 1 00
John Sewell..... 2 00
John Pearse..... 1 00
Small sums 3 50

Total.....$183 75

SEAFORTH BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 8 58
Col by John Dickson
Small sums 2 20
Col by Jas Nichol
Jas Nichol 1 00
Rev P Musgrave 1 00
Small sums 10 15
Col by Miss Turnbull
Small sums 1 00
Col by A Robb
M McDermid 1 00
Small sums 1 25
Col by Jas Scott
Mrs Achieson 1 00
Jas Scott 1 00
Rev M Barr..... 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Col by W Wilson
W Lough 1 00
W Wilson..... 1 00
Small sums 4 30
Col by D Campbell
David Campbell..... 1 00
Small sums 0 50
Col by Wm Edwards
D D Wilson..... 4 00
Duncan and Duncan.. 4 00
M T McLean 3 00
R Lumsden 2 00
Laidlaw and Fairley .. 1 00
Wm Hill 1 00
Small sums 3 00

Total.....$56 48

SEBRINGVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$9 00
Scarth, Bros..... 1 00
Wm King..... 1 00
Jno Kastner..... 2 00
Jas Peake..... 1 00
Theo Litt 1 00
Jacob Kuehne, senr .. 1 00
Henry Kuehne 1 00
Geo Sweitger 1 00
Small sums 42 30

Total.....$60 30

SHAKSPEARE & N. E. HOPE BRANCH.

Col by Misses McKay and Donaldson

R D McKay..... 2 00
Thomas Holwell..... 1 00
Andrew Riddle 1 00
John Smith 1 00
Small sums 4 55

Col by Misses Bell and Ellen McKay

E A Cairncross 2 00
J Rutherford 1 00
Wm Small 1 00
Mrs McNab..... 1 00
Rev J J Cameron 1 00
R Whitman, M.B 1 00
Small sums 2 00

Col by Misses Hamilton and Hyde

Mrs Rennie 1 00
Small sums 4 70

Col by Misses Crerar and Hyde

James Sinclair..... 1 00
Small sums 3 70

Col by Misses Bates and McGregor

Jno Bates..... 1 00
James Fraser 1 00
Peter Robertson..... 1 00
Small sums 3 00

Total.....$34 95

SHELBURNE BRANCH.

Col by Misses Ford, Murray, Gilchrist and Hannah

E Berwick 2 00
E Jessop 1 00
S J Cowles 1 00
Thos Norton, M.D .. 1 00
G R Hannah 1 00
Small sums 6 15
Rev J R Gilchrist 1 00
J McBeth 1 00
G P Campbell..... 1 00
H J Ralston, M.D.... 1 00
Small sums 4 35

Total.....$20 50

SONYA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 98
Thomas Clarkson $1 00
Dougall McMullin.... 0 50
Neil Wilkinson 1 00
Donald Stevenson 1 00
Alex McTaggart..... 1 00
James McFarlan 1 00
John McKinnon..... 1 00
H C Black 1 00
Alex Black 1 00

Total. $11 48

SOUTH CAYUGA BRANCH.

Col by Misses Anna Housberger and Mary J Fry

Barbara Overholt 2 00
Jac Albright 1 00
V Housberger 2 00
Rev G Brown 1 00
Rev R H Balmer 1 00
A Bilger 1 00
Saml Albright..... 1 00
J Overholt 1 00
Isaac Fry 1 00
Miss E Tenny..... 1 00
Nelson Drake 5 00
Small sums 2 60

Col by Miss Lizzie Fry

David Fry 2 00
H Miller 1 00
Small sums 6 75

Col by Miss Mary Link

Isaac Hoover 2 00
Martin Link 1 00
Mrs Geo Docker..... 1 00
Small sums 3 80

Col by Miss Havill

R A Havill 1 00
R Havill 1 00

Col by Misses A Albright and Anna Wismer

Isaac M Wismer..... 1 00
A Albright 3 00
M S Wismer 1 00
Thomas Drake 1 00
Small sums 3 25

Col by Misses Maria Wismer and Mary Schisler

A Nash 1 00
V Dohn..... 1 00
M Schisler 1 00
Small sums 5 05

Total.....$56 45

SOUTH MONAGHAN AND SOUTH CAVAN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 85

Col by Misses E Smithson and C A Dawson

Joseph Dawson 1 00
Mrs Wm Smithson.... 1 00
Wm Rutherford 1 00
Wm Smithson..... 1 00
Wm Huggins 1 00
Wm Dawson 1 00
Mr McCaughey $1 00
John Rutherford..... 1 00
Small sums 4 20

Col by Misses Perren and Dawson

Small sums 5 70

Col by Misses Crossley and Hutchinson

H Crossley 1 00
Jas Hutchison..... 1 00
Geo Goodfellow 1 00
Robt Waddell..... 1 00
Mrs R Waddell 1 00
Hugh Waddell 1 00
John Robertson 1 00
Thos Deyell..... 1 00
Wm O'Brien 1 00
Small sums 10 45

Col by Misses Kerr and Armstrong

John A Turnbull 2 15
R & J Riddell 2 00
D Morrison 1 00
Wm Morrison 1 00
R Dodd..... 1 00
A Gallaway 1 00
A Finney 1 00
J Buckham 1 00
J W McBain 1 00
Wm Emberson 1 00
Small sums 6 98

Col by Misses Armstrong and Fair

J D Armstrong 2 00
Geo Campbell 1 00
Henry Earl 1 00
Wm Francey, senr.... 1 00
D H Armstrong 1 00
John Greer 1 00
Jos Armstrong 1 00
Isaac Larmour 1 00
Geo Waddell 2 00
John Fair..... 1 00
Small sums 3 05

Col by John Byers and James Eagleson

Robt Byers 1 00
Wm Eagleson 1 00
Wm Greer..... 1 00
John Greer 1 00
Robt McCamus 1 00
Thos McBain 1 00
Mrs Jas Wood..... 1 00
James Eagleson 1 00
John Byers 1 00
Small sums 7 00

Col by Wm Byres

Small sums 1 35

Total.....$91 73

STOUFFVILLE BRANCH (1877).

Rev W L Scott 1 00
Rev J B Moore 1 00
Rev C D Silcox 1 00
John Jerman 1 00
John B Flint 1 00

D Stouffer $1 00
A Stouffer 1 00
R Barns 1 00
Mrs Freels 1 00
Kate Williams 1 00
R Rowen 1 00
H Johnson 1 00
J Rae..... 1 00
Mrs Wheler 1 00
Wm Pagan 1 00
C D Mertens 1 00
W P Hartney 1 00
Geo Shelly 1 00
James Doherty 1 00
James O'Brien..... 1 00
J Nichols 1 00
T J Dougall..... 1 00
Col at public meeting.. 3 37
" thanksgiving services 3 37
Small sums 9 16

Total.....$38 00

STOUFFVILLE BRANCH (1878).

Rev E D Silcox 2 00
D Stouffer..... 1 00
C D Mertens 1 00
Rev J B Moore 1 00
Mrs E Wheeler 1 00
Mrs W P Hartney.... 1 00
Mrs W B Sanders 1 00
James Dougherty 1 00
James O'Brien..... 1 00
R Rowen 1 00
James J Rae 1 00
James Nichol 1 00
M H Matthews 1 00
T J Dougall..... 1 00
Mrs Henry Mertens .. 1 00
Small sums 9 20

Total.....$25 20

SUNDERLAND BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 56
Col by Misses Reid and Leask
David Leask 1 00
Miss Johnston..... 1 00
Small sums 11 42
Col by Misses Rundle and Carmichel
Small sums 6 31
Col by Misses Glendinning and Gordon
James Tocher 1 00
George Hodgson..... 1 00
James St John, senr .. 1 00
Small sums 15 70

Total.....$40 99

ST CATHARINES BRANCH.

Col by Misses M Hamilton and A Osborne
Wm J McCalla 25 00
James Gilleland 3 00
Mrs Gilleland 1 00
John Hamilton $1 00
Misses Montgomery & Cuff 1 00
S R Badgley..... 1 00
Wm H McClive..... 1 00
Small sums 5 30
Col by Misses S McCoy and M Crawford
C Hamilton 5 00
Mrs Mary Parsons.... 2 00
Rev George Burson ... 2 00
A friend..... 2 00
Mrs S Neelon 1 00
F P Begg 1 00
R Laurie 1 00
Mr Gullier 1 00
Mr Caswell 1 00
Mr Hull..... 1 00
Small sums 13 75
Col by Misses Bigger and Yale
P McCarthy..... 2 00
James Mills..... 2 00
Rev George Bruce 2 00
Mrs B C Fairfield 2 00
Mrs Robert McLaren.. 1 00
J S Bigger 1 00
Mrs Graham 1 00
Mrs J Sisterson 1 00
Rev J W A Stuart.... 1 00
Mrs S G Dodd..... 1 00
Mrs J Carter 1 00
Rev J Ridley 1 00
Mrs Birchall 1 00
Mrs R Peterson 1 00
Mrs Borrowman..... 1 00
Rev E Langford..... 1 00
Rev J Maxwell 1 00
W J Robertson..... 1 00
G P M Ball 1 00
Small sums 7 64
Col by Miss Ida Thomson
L H Callard..... 2 00
W H Hewson 1 00
Small sums 5 00
Col by Mrs J Douglas and Miss A Mitchell
J Smith..... 2 00
M Richardson 1 00
R Fitzgerald 1 00
Charles Smith..... 1 00
A G Allan..... 1 00
J Marshall 1 00
A Purves..... 2 00
Thos Shaw 2 00
S S Junkin 2 00
John Junkin..... 1 00
Mrs Chas E Stuart.... 1 00
Mrs Camp..... 1 00
Dr John H Comfort .. 1 00
James McEdward 1 00
Small sums 12 50
Col by Misses Brookman and Lewis
Thomas R Merritt.... 5 00
Chas A F Ball.....$5 00
Rev Wm Brookman .. 4 00
A W Ball 1 00
A friend..... 2 00
Miss Burson..... 1 00
O Falkner... ..... 2 00
J M Strikerland 1 00
Small sums ..... $ 56
Col by Mrs Wm Brownlee and Miss B Jeffrey
Hon J R Benson..... 5 00
Andrew Jeffrey 4 00
Mrs H McCollum 2 00
James Norris 2 00
Mrs James Douglas... 2 00
Mrs John Nay..... 1 00
Mrs Powell 1 00
John R Morris 1 00
Mrs A G Brown..... 1 00
Small sums 7 30
Col by Mrs D W Beadle and Miss Girvin
Mrs C Haines 2 00
Mrs Thomas Bates.... 1 00
Mrs James Taylor 1 00
Small sums 1 00
Col by Miss Grey
Small sums 3 30
Col by Mrs Jones and Miss Sword
E Kellogg..... 2 00
Miss Copeland..... 1 00
Mr McGibbon..... 1 00
Mrs Wingrove..... 1 00
Small sums 4 60
Col by Misses Wells and Mitchell
John McCalla..... 7 00
Small sums 3 00
Col by Misses Junkin and McCarthy
G Burtch 2 00
Mrs E Higgins 2 00
Mrs J Collinson..... 2 00
Rev M Black 1 00
Mrs R Collier 1 00
Mrs P McCollum 1 00
Mrs W Collinson 1 00
Miss Mitchell 1 00
Small sums 1 00

Total $229 50

ST GEORGE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$4 00
J S Crawford 1 00
Charles Nixon..... 1 00
David Reid 1 00
E E Kitchen, MD.... 1 00
Alex McRoberts..... 1 00
J R Neff 1 00
Rev Robert Hume..... 1 00
John Richardson 1 00
Thomas Westward.... 1 00
Robert Turnbull..... 1 00
William Mullin 1 00
Phillip Grandine..... 1 00

Thomas W Charlton..$1 50
Duncan McKenzie, sen 1 00
Duncan McKenzie, jun 1 00
Edward Kitchen..... 1 00
James B Kitchen..... 1 00
Lemuel Howell 1 00
William Kinney..... 1 00
Oscar Wait 1 00
John Ironside 1 00
John Robb, sen..... 1 00
John K Burt..... 1 00
James Galloway..... 1 00
Alfred Kitchen 1 00
D K Davis 1 00
Robert Burt..... 1 00
P D Lawrason 1 00
Rev D Chalmers..... 1 00
Benjamin Bell..... 2 00
S D Bingham 1 00
J P Galloway 5 00
Small sums 18 15

Total.....$59 65

ST HELENS BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$1 88
Joseph McElroy..... 1 00
Robert Murray 1 00
John H Taylor 1 00
Col by
Misses Campbell and Webb 4 95
Misses Gaunt and Thom 2 75
Misses Wilson and Fowler..... 2 10
Misses Gordon and McDonald 6 75
Misses Alexander and Fox..... 5 00
Misses McDonald and Durnin..... 1 55
Misses Asquith and Rutherford 8 65
Misses Barbour and Rintoul 3 60
Small sums 0 70

Total.....$40 93

ST. THOMAS BRANCH.
(Ladies' Bible Association.)

Col by
Mrs Pavey 6 75
Mrs McKenzie 7 50
Mrs Hobbs 6 25
Mrs White 5 75
Mrs Baird.....27 80
Mrs Spohn 2 75
Miss Graness 4 60
Miss Hughes 14 19
Miss Willis 3 50
Miss Parish 5 35
Miss Philips..... 4 65
Miss Hall 1 35
Miss Barr 2 07
Mrs McIntosh..... 4 60
Mrs Fewings 3 75
Other sums received $31 77

Total.....$132 63

TAMWORTH BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 80
Col by Mrs J W Fuller
John Reid..... 2 00
Rev W F Perley..... 1 00
Mrs L A Wheeler 1 00
R N Neely 1 00
John Floyd 1 00
Dr Jas Knight 1 00
Small sums 1 50
Col by Miss Chamberlain
Rev J P Wilson 1 00
Miss Henault 1 00
Jas Aylsworth..... 1 00
Small sums 1 50

Total.....$14 80

TEESWATER BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 2 18
J McVicar 1 00
J K McLean 1 00
Rev D Wardrope 1 00
S Waldo 1 00
S Kirkland 1 00
J Tulford 1 00
H B O'Connor..... 1 00
John Oliver 1 00
James Sharp 1 00
Rev Mr Currie 1 00
Mrs Gibson 1 00
Thos Fairbairn 1 00
Col Currie's Church .. 4 00
Col Wardrope's Church 6 15
A McLean, Treasurer.. 0 67

Total.....$25 00

TEMPERANCEVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 4 86
Col by Misses Esther Beynon and Alice Folliott
D Johnston 1 00
Joseph Stephenson.... 1 00
James Stewart..... .. 1 00
Small sums 7 07
Col by Misses E Scott and J McDonald
John C Tawse.. ... 1 00
M L Ferguson..... 1 00
Andw Morton..... 1 00
Small sums..... .... 14 20

Total.....$32 13

THOROLD BRANCH.

Mrs Jas McArthur .. 1 00
Mrs John H Wilson .. 1 00
Mrs John McDonagh.. 1 00
Mrs L E Barbeau 1 00
Mrs Doctor Palmer .. 1 00
Mrs Samuel Booth.... 1 00
Daniel Monro 1 00
David Sharp 1 00
Robert Dougan 1 00
W J Robertson $1 00
John Boyle 1 00
Mrs Henry Beatty.... 1 00
Geo Keefer 1 00
Mrs Ewart 1 00
Rev James Preston.... 1 00
W J Richardson..... 1 00
Mrs McClelland..... 1 00
Miss Sommerville 1 00
Mrs John Morley 1 00
William McCleary.... 1 00
John Paterson. 1 00
Mrs John Keefer 1 00
Mrs A McFarland.... 1 00
Mrs John R Swazie .. 1 00
Mrs James Munro 1 00
Mrs David Brown 1 00
James Millar 2 00
James Munro 2 00
Mrs Margaret Ball.... 5 00
Beatty and Son 5 00
Small sums 32 26

Total.....$72 26

UNDERWOOD BRANCH.

Col by Miss Mackenzie
Wm Hunter..... 4 00
Small sums 1 25
Col by Misses Drummond and Ross
Small sums 3 55
Col by Misses Inkster and English
Rev G MacLennan .. 1 00
Hugh Murray 1 00
W J Imsdale 1 00
Small sums 5 85
Col by Misses Black and McMillan
Small sums 2 60
Col by Misses Crawford and McGregor
Small sums 2 30
Col by Misses Goar and McCallum
Small sums 2 90
Col by Misses McArthur and Chisholm
Small sums 2 60
Col by Misses Fullarton and Stewart
Small sums 2 75
Col by Misses Ross and Currie
Small sums 2 65
Col by Miss McLenn
Small sums 2 00

Total $35 70

UXBRIDGE BRANCH.

Col by Mesdames Henry and Cockburn
Wm Smith 1 00
Edward Cockburn 1 00
Joseph Gould 2 00
W S Black 1 00

W M Baldwin.....$1 00
Mrs D M Card 1 00
Wm Henry 1 00
Mrs Geo Sharp 1 00
Jas T Dowling..... 1 00
Mrs A Thompson .. . 1 00
S L McKinnell 2 00
Miss Jackson 1 00
G Gibson 1 00
I J Gould..... 1 00
William Johnston 1 00
D Dowling 1 00
J J McGee 1 00
Geo Wheler 1 00
Small sums 23 05

Col by Mesdames J Bascom and E Moore

Rev J Davidson 2 00
J Bascom, M B. 2 00
B Workman, M D.... 2 00
H M Howell 2 00
A T Button 2 00
N H Cowdry 2 00
Mrs Bascom, senr 1 00
J A McArthur..... 1 00
A D Williams..... 1 00
J J Bascom 1 00
R P Harman 1 00
Geo Peers 1 00
J W Argue 1 00
David Walks 1 00
L P Stickney 1 00
James Lerud 1 00
Horsman, Skelley & Co 1 00
Jas E Walks 1 00
Mrs Davidson 1 00
Thos Armstrong..... 1 00
Rev Arthur Browning. 1 00
Ira G Crosby 1 00
A D Weeks 1 00
Small sums 21 00

Total.....$93 05

VARNA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 93

Col by Messrs W Purdy and J Armstrong

J B Secord 1 00
Geo Stewart..... 1 00
John F Watts..... 1 00
James Armstrong 1 00
Wm Purdy 1 00
Small sums 5 10

Col by Messrs J Robinson and J McClymont

Small sums 8 45

Col by Messrs W Plews and A Galbraith

David Galbraith..... 1 00
Arch Galbraith 1 00
John McAsh 1 00
Small sums 2 25

Col by Messrs H Dawson, senr, and J McKinley

Small sums $6 50

Col by Messrs J Wells and F Green

James Wells 1 00
Small sums 2 70

Col by Misses S A Keys and M A McIntyre

John Peck 1 00
Jas Shaw 1 00
Jno Laird..... 1 00
Small sums 4 00

Total.....$42 93

VERNONVILLE BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 7 33

Col by Miss Hinman

Platt Hinman 1 00
Small sums 3 00

Col by Miss Kellie

James Kellie 1 00
Small sums 3 25

Col by Miss Blacklock

David Aitcheson 1 00
George Robson 1 00
William Kerr 1 00
James Blacklock..... 1 00
Duncan McRae 2 00
Small sums 2 50

Col by Misses Radclif and Cooney

Mrs Litster 1 00
John Robson 1 00
Small sums 7 55

Col by Mrs Dickson and Miss Boyd

Joseph Pettit..... 1 00
Small sums 5 80

Col by Misses Bolin and Eddy

Rev Thomas Garbut .. 1 00
Small sums 2 79

Col by Misses Pender and Bradley

Small sums 125

Col by Misses Miller and Russell

Lizzie Mills 1 00
George Moor 1 00
Small sums 8 30

Total.....$49 77

VICTORIA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 1 50
Rev Mr Matthews 1 00
Joseph Goodfellow.... 1 00
R G McCraw 1 00
James Cross..... 1 00
A M Morden 1 00
Small sums 19 57

Total.....$26 07

VICTORIA BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$3 75
P E Young 1 00
Small sums 6 50
P W Rapelje 1 00
A Reid. $1 75
Mrs Roach 2 00
Small sums 10 97

Total.....$26 97

WATERDOWN BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$2 20

Col by Misses Binkley and McLaren

Thomas Little..... 2 00
Dr J O McGregor 2 00
Mrs Elizabeth Attridge 1 00
Wm Hall 1 00
Peter Binkley 1 00
John Evans 1 00
Richard Attridge 1 00
Rev Stewart Houston. 1 00
L A Cummer..... 1 00
Hugh Creen..... 1 00
Small sums 9 50

Col by Misses Graham and Forbes

John G W Rymal 1 00
A friend 1 00
Miss Tuck.. ..... 1 00
John T Stock 1 00
Small sums 9 50

Col by Misses Stock and Field

Wm McMonies 1 00
J B Thompson..... 1 00
Mrs Geo Rymal, sen... 1 00
Jas K Griffin 1 00
Rev Wm Hawke..... 1 00
Dr H Hunter 1 00
Wm Davidson..... 1 00
John Stock, sen 1 00
Thos Stock..... 1 00
Small sums 3 50

Total $49 70

WELLANDPORT BRANCH.

Col by

Miss A J Makeague .. 5 00
Miss Mary A Angle... 2 46
Miss Jane Dalrymple.. 1 25

Total $8 71

WESTON BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$4 69
Col at Presbyterian Church 5 78
Col at Methodist Church4 72

Col by Messrs Watson and Wardlaw

Wm Watson 1 00
J L Wardlaw..... 1 00
John Mashiter..... 1 00
Mrs Forsyth..... 1 00
W McPherson..... 1 00
J Bolton 1 00
D Rountree 1 00
J Nichol 1 00
Small sums 3 20

Col by Misses Glassford and Kaiser.

Rev R Pettigrew $1 00
G Wallace.. ..... 1 00
J H Banks 1 00
Dr Aiken 2 00
Miss A McDougall.... 1 00
J Rountree..... 1 00
John Foster..... 1 00
Thomas Boulton..... 1 00
Dr Tyrrell..... 1 00
W Nason 5 00
G Smith 5 00
H Dennis 3 00
Small sums 0 60
Collection (1877)..... 3 65
Subscriptions (1877) ..11 25

Total.....$64 89

WHITBY BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$6 25
Col by Miss Wilson and others
Small sums 2 25
Col by Misses Oke and Dehart
Small sums 12 90
Col by Miss Helen Lynde
R & J Campbell 1 00
S W B Smith & Co.... 1 00
Mrs Y Gibson..... 1 00
Mrs Ormiston 1 00
G H Robinson..... 1 00
Hatch & Bros 2 00
J S Robertson..... 1 00
C F Stewart 1 00
John E Farewell..... 5 00
Mrs Fuller 1 00
Small sums 7 70
Col by Misses Wicks and Sleigh
George Laing 1 00
R S Campbell..... 1 00
John C Hall 1 00
John J Hare..... 1 00
Small sums 2 77
Col by Miss McKay
Rev R Chambers..... 1 00
Mrs Croll 2 00
George T Smith 1 00
Rev W H Laird..... 1 00
Dr Gunn 1 00
Small sums 12 80
Col by Miss Johnston
Small sums 5 38
Col by Misses Cribb and Crawford
Mrs Smith 1 00
Small sums 2 25
Col by Miss Thompson
E Frost 1 00
Rev J Vicars..... 2 00
Small sums 6 60

Total $87 90

WINGHAM BRANCH.

Col at public meeting..$8 23
Thomas Leslie.....$1 00
John Inglis 1 00
Andrew Diggon 1 00
John Harton 1 00
Peter McDonald, M D. 1 00
A Bethune, M D..... 1 00
Rev W Davis..... 1 00
Rev H McQuarrie 2 00
Small sums 60 50

Total.....$77 73

WINONA BRANCH.

John Pettit 2 00
H R Willson 2 00
Mrs John Pettit..... 1 00
J B Henry 1 00
Murray Pettit..... 1 00
Small sums..... 5 40

Total.....$12 40

WOODSTOCK BRANCH.

Col by Misses McMullen and Hay
Wm Scarff 1 00
W A Reid..... 1 00
Jno McIntyre..... 1 00
P McQueen 1 25
C L Beard 1 00
Mr Dewar..... 2 00
Mr McDonald 2 00
Mr Codville 1 00
Rev W P McMullen .. 2 00
Jno Douglas..... 2 00
H B Beard 4 00
Jas Scarff 1 00
Jas Hay, senr 1 00
Small sums 23 86
Col by Misses Greig and McKenzie
Wm Grey..... 5 00
Short & Co 5 00
Ball, Matheson & Ball 5 00
Rev W R Parker 2 00
Mrs Greig..... 1 00
Jas Caufield..... 1 00
Mr Dease 1 00
Mrs P H Parker..... 1 00
Mrs Geo White 1 00
Jas Sutherland 1 00
Jas White..... 1 00
Gissing and Laidlaw.. 1 00
W Sharman..... 1 00
Jas Scott 1 00
Geo Perry..... 1 00
Mrs Geo Perry 1 00
John Payne..... 1 00
Ashton Fletcher..... 1 00
Jas Holmes 1 00
Mr McKay 1 00
Mrs J C Ross 1 00
Mr Strauchan 1 00
Mrs Emigh 1 00
Mrs Dawes 1 00
Jno White 1 00
Hugh Rose 1 00
G L Beard 1 00
Small sums.....$39 09
Col by S Hallam
Archdeacon Sweetman 5 00
Mrs Knight 1 00
Wm Post 1 00
R W Knight 1 00
N S Maginn..... 1 00
Small sums 6 75
Col by Mr S Hallam
Jno Beard..... 2 00
R A Fyfe, D.D 2 00
Mrs W Arnold..... 1 00
Miss Beard 1 00
Mrs Chas Beard 1 00
Rev C Goodspeed 1 00
John Lindsay 1 00
Mrs Laudon..... 1 00
Phineas Wallace 1 00
Mr Sweezy 1 00
Jno Torrance 1 00
Small sums 23 31
Col by Misses Watson and Gardner
Wm Gardner 1 00
Alex Watson 1 00
Mr Waters 1 00
Small sums 11 25

Total.....$198 91

YORK (GRAND RIVER) BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 63
Jas Kyffin..... 3 00
R A Weir..... 1 00
A A Davis 1 00
G W Murton 1 00
R H Davis, M D. 1 00
N H Wickett 1 00
H A Duggan 1 00
Small sums 5 25

Total.....$17 88

YORKVILLE BRANCH.

Jno McDonald, MP..25 00
James Metcalfe, M.P.. 4 00
A Crofts 1 00
Arthur Crompton 1 00
R J Doel 1 00
Geo H White 2 00
E Hewett..... 1 00
Mrs Armour 1 00
A Friend 2 00
Joseph Gibson..... 4 00
John Severn..... 2 00
Robt Shaw 1 00
R J Montgomery 1 00
John G Adams 1 00
Geo Scott 4 00
Mr Bull..... 1 00
A Friend 2 00
James Dobson..... 2 00
Mr Alcorn 5 00
C M 1 00
E Y Crown 2 00
Rev W L Rutledge .. 2 00
Isaac Bulmer 1 00

Rev Dr Reid $1 00
Rev R Douglas Fraser. 1 00
Rev Joseph D King .. 1 00
Mrs Wickson 1 00
Mrs McPherson 5 00
Rev J E Betts..... 1 00
H C Brown 1 00
Rev Septimus Jones .. 1 00
A S Pears..... 1 00
M Nightingale..... 1 00
Prof G P Young..... 2 00
Rev T W Paterson.... 1 00
C Arthnr Marling 1 00
Jas Hodgson 1 00
Mrs Blight 1 00
John C Lander 1 00
Mr Archer 1 50
Rev A Cross..... 1 00
Mrs Cross..... 1 00
James Gunn..... 1 00
Joseph Tait 1 00
Mrs J Crown 1 00
Thomas Holmes 1 00
S Heward..... 2 00
J Lewis..... 1 00
Mrs Grant Macdonald. 5 00
Mrs Gladish..... 1 00
Mrs Thorburn..... 1 00
Thos Elgar 2 00
Geo M Lee 1 00
Wm Booth 1 00
Jno Moore 1 00
Oswald F Foster..... 1 00
Geo Scott (1877) 4 00
Friends & small sums $12 40

Total.....$124 00

ZION BRANCH.

Col at meeting..... 0 52
Col by Misses Mitchell and Fursey
Wm Langmaid 1 00
S Washington..... 1 00
Small sums 3 10
Col by Mesdames J Joll and M A Washington
Peter Werry 1 25
Mrs Baker..... 1 00
Small sums 7 13

Total.....$15 00

AMHERSTBURG BRANCH.

Duncan Campbell 1 00
John Martyn 1 00
Robert Best..... 1 00
Rev F Smith 1 00
Rev Mr Falls 1 00
John Bell..... 1 00
Dr Lambert 1 00
John Parks $1 00
Mrs McLeod 1 00
James Hamilton..... 1 00
Rev James Harris 2 00
Small sums 28 06

Total $40 06

JANETVILLE BRANCH.

John Burn 3 00
Daniel Lavery 2 00
Thomas Timmins 1 00
Henry Anderson 1 00
John McDermid..... 1 00
Robert Armstrong.... 1 00
Neil McDermid 1 00
Thomas Syer 1 00
Mrs J Burn 1 00
Miss Ferris 1 00
Rev D N McCamus .. 1 00
Small sums 12 25

Total.....$26 25

MALTON BRANCH.

Col by John McMullin
John McMullin 1 00
Alex Shields 1 00
David Rowland 1 00
Thomas Graham 1 00
James Walker..... 1 00
Andrew Gregory..... 1 00
T B Allen..... 2 00
Small sums 2 90
Col by Edmund Garbutt and Geo Culham
James Culham 1 00
John Chapman 1 00
James Roberts 1 00
Wm McKay 1 00
George Garbutt 1 00
Small sums 5 85
Col by Townley Brocklebank
Townley Brocklebank. 1 00
John Hooper 1 00
Robert Woodhall 1 00
Thomas Ward..... 1 00
Dr Stewart 1 00
Small sums 3 45
Col by David Tomlinson and John Wood
David Tomlinson 1 00
James Cook 1 00
Henry Cook..... 1 00
Mrs A Shaw 1 00
John Gardhouse..... 1 00
Small sums 2 00
Col by Robert Johnston
Robert Johnston..... 1 00
Captain Blain..... 1 00
Small sums $4 45
Col at meeting 2 45

Total.....$46 10

EXETER BRANCH.

Col at public meeting.. 3 39
Col by Mrs Sanwell and Miss Hyndman
Mrs W Sanders 1 00
James Easterbrook .. 1 00
Mrs Gould 1 00
Mr Ranton 1 00
Mr Carling 1 00
Mr Fitton..... 1 00
Mr Brewer 1 00
R Pickard 1 00
Rev Mr Ryan 1 00
Small sums 12 47
Col by Misses Bell and Mahan
Rev Mr Butcher 1 00
Rev Mr Holmes..... 1 00
W Grigg, sen 1 00
J Pickard..... 1 00
Small sums 10 18
Col by Misses Kilpatrick and Swanston
Mr Trick 1 00
Small sums 3 67
Col by Misses Frayne and Butt
Small sums 2 05
Col by Misses Stone and Lewis
B V Elliott 2 00
Small sums 3 20
Col by Misses Martin and Poplestone
Thomas Allaway 1 00
Small sums 4 36
Col by Misses Ching and Collins
Small sums.. ..... 2 75
Col by Mrs Trivitt
Mrs Trivitt 2 00
Mr Trivitt 2 00
Caroline Balkwill 1 00
Small sums 10 35
Col by Misses Daw and Chapman
Small sums 5 05
Col by Miss Bignell
Small sums 1 00
Col by Misses Harvey and Harris
Small sums 6 70

Total.....$87 17

LIST OF BRANCHES OF THE UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY,

WITH SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31ST, 1878.

New Branches are indicated by an asterisk (*) The sign (†) prefixed to moneys received, indicates that they were received after the close of the Society's year.

Branch.	Remittances. Pur. Acct.	Remittances. Free Con.	President.	Treasurer.	Secretary.	Depositary.
	$ cts.	$ cts.				
Acton	.....	70 00	A Campbell	D Henderson	D Henderson	D D Christie
Alberton	.....	21 47	Geo Taylor (Ancaster PO)	G H Palmer	Gelon H Palmer	
Alliston	14 32	....	Rev. R H Smith	James Aiken	Thomas Gordon	James Drury
Alton	.....	.....	Rev H J Colwell	E Kennedy	James Meek	Robert Meek
Ancaster	12 02	58 58	Dr Orton	Dr Brandon	E D Farmer	David Hyslop
Ancaster East (Glanford P O)	.....	44 25	John Renton	Thomas A Walker	Wm Findlay, jun	
Angus	.....	.....	Thos H Wilmott	J G Turton	Wm Neilly	James R Brown
Armow	.....	18 38	F Robertson	Joseph Shier	Joseph Shier	John Hiles
Arran	46 58	36 00	J W Linton (Invermay P O)	E A Noble	E A Noble (Tara P O)	Geo Stirke, Invermay J McKim, Arkwright F L Kilborn, Tara
Arthur	.....	† 9 14	Rev Robt Stewart	George Hudson	George Hudson	Wm Scott
Ashfield	14 77	23 00	Rev A Grant (Kintail P O)	John McLennan	John McLennan (Amberley P O)	R Macgregor, Kintail H Chambers, Lochalsh
Aurora	18 00	20 00	Rev W Amos	.....	B Pearson	S H Lundy
Avening	3 77	5 48	J Kitson	Thos B Murray	James Carlton	W L Coulter
Ayton	44 00	.....	Rev M Maurer	Thos Cooil	Thomas Cooil	W J Watson
Baltimore	.....	80 00	David Haig	John Lawless	John Lawless	John Duncan
Barrie	.....	.....	Rev Canon Morgan	S Varley	S Varley	C Harrison & Co
Bartonville	.....	.....	P J Depew	J H Burkholder	Wm Burkholder	
Bayfield	10 94	33 00	Rev Geo Jamieson	John Esson	John Esson	J Gairdner
Beachville	2 81	1 24	James Dickie	Thomas Taylor	Thomas Taylor	Thomas Taylor

Beaverton	.....	71 00	Rev D Watson	Geo Proctor, jun	D Cameron	E H Bauld
Belgrave	.....	35 52	Thomas Anderson	Thomas Brandon	Wm Bengough	Thomas Brandon
Belleville	100 00	150 00	M Sawyer	A G Northrup	J W Johnson	L W Yeomans & Co
Bell Ewart	6 00	7 08	S C Webster	T H Dixon	T H Dixon	S C Webster
Berlin	18 64	80 00	Sheriff Davidson	Alex Young	Alex Young	J Oberholtzer
Bertie (Point Abino P O)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Brewster & Cutler
Bervie	24 72	13 30	Rev E M Bland	W Henderson	W Henderson	Wm Brown
Bethany	.....	51 34	Josias Wilson	David Rowan	James Kelly	John Grandy
Beverley (Kirkwall P O)	.....	75 10	Rev R Thynne	W McMillan	R McQueen	W McMillan
Binbrook	.....	50 00	Rev Wm Walker	John Brown, jun	John Brown, jun	H Hall
Blairton	6 38	2 24	Rev H Wilkinson	J L Aunger	Kenneth Mark	J S Meikle
Bloomfield	.....	.....	R H Taylor	C G Bowerman	C G Bowerman	S W White
Bloomingdale	1 50	16 50	Moses Bauman	William Erb	M B Clemens	
Bluevale	11 11	5 13	W S Hutchison	John Messor	W H Leach	John Messor
Blyth	.....	55 00	Rev Geo Clarke	H McQuarrie	Dr Sloan	W Drummond
Bobcaygeon	. .	11 65	Rev J A Jewell	W B Read	Dr Macamus	W B Read
Bolsover	.....	18 20	A McFadyen	F and J McRae	S Jamieson	F & J McRae
Bolton (Albion P O) 2 yrs	25 00	55 00	J F Warbrick	J Gardhouse	L R Bolton	John Shields
Bond Head	25 00	47 00	Rev Dr Fraser	Thomas Gaviller	Thomas Gaviller	A Richardson
Bowmanville	33 41	91 61	George Haines	J Higginbotham	J Higginbotham	Robert Easton
Bracebridge	.....	4 26	Walter Sharpe	Wm Kirke	Wm Hanna	Thos Myers
Bradford	14 25	† 48 25	Rev T A Ferguson	Thomas Driffill	W M Stevenson	Thos Driffill
Brampton (2 years)	56 71	232 89	George Graham	J W Beynon	Joseph McClure	Alex Dick
Brantford	234 94	1000 00	H B Leeming	I Cockshutt	T S Shenston	I Cockshutt
Brighton	33 41	14 11	George Dowler	A C Singleton	Edwin Bilby	A C Singleton
Brooklin	11 48	11 68	John Burns	R Darlington	R Darlington	R Darlington
Brucefield	.....	27 00	Wm Scott	George Walker	George Walker	
Brussells	33 44	76 40	Rev J Ferguson	John R Grant	John R Grant	G A Deadman
Burford	.....	.....	C De Coverley	T Lloyd Jones	W H Wooden	Henry Cox
*Burgoyne	.....	.....	Alex Wallace	J A Darling	J D Stirton	John A Darling
Burlington	31 62	54 00	Wm Bunton	Thomas Graham	James Laing	Thomas Graham
Cæsar's and Sandhill	.....	5 00	Thomas Bowles	Jas Alexander	William McKenna (Kilmanagh P O)	
Caistor (Woodburn P O)	.....	.....	Jacob Kerr	Thomas Shaw	Thomas Shaw	Thomas Shaw
Caistorville	.....	† 20 00	Rev J P Bell	Adam Spears	Adam Spears	Adam Spears, jun
Caledonia (Seneca P O)	.....	57 44	Ranald McKinnon	John Roper	James Aldridge	John Roper
Cambray	.....	53 80	John Sinclair	Thos Douglas	Finlay McNabb	Thos Douglas
Cameron	.....	4 37	P Northcott	James Graham	Joseph Eyres	John Harshaw
Campbellford	.....	.....	J M Ferris, M P P	J M Ferris	M A Halley	J M Ferris

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Campden	.....	.....	Dr Comfort	S M Moyer	Jacob N Moyer	J S Moyer
Cannifton	.....	....	Leonard Palmer	Jacob Sills	John Haight	
Cannington	20 95	32 00	Rev G Washington, M A	Christ Brandon	M Gillespie	William Fead
Cartwright	.....	42 00	Thomas Werry	John Ford	Richard Prust	John Ford
Castleton	4 82	.....	H P Gould	E H Black	E H Black	J E Pennock
Cavan	.....	34 70	R Staples	W H Coulter	John Graham	D Walker
Cayuga	.....	52 25	Judge Stevenson	G S Cotter	John Decew	A D Macleod
Cayuga South	17 64	46 48	V Housberger	A Nash	A Nash	Isaac Fry
Centreville	.....	89	M B Hawley	Dr Beeman	J S Miller	
Charleston (Caledon P O)	.....	24 17	Rev A McFaul	Hugh McLean	Hugh McLean	Hugh McLean
Cheapside	.....	† 14 30	John McClelland	George Evered	John Thomson	
Cheltenham	.....	36 15	Rev E D McLaren	Ebenezer Haines	J B Fraser	J B Fraser
Cherry Valley	.....	10 80	W B Blakeley	H Spafford	W Philp, jun	
Cherrywood	1 02	22 00	Jas McCreight	Fred Roach	Fred Roach	C Cranston
Chesterfield and Ratho	.....	90 00	J Harvey (Plattsville PO)	William Brown	Wm Murray	Mrs Veitch, Jas Henry
Chippawa	.....	17 00	.....	John Smith	Robert McCredie	A Herbold
Churchill (formerly Innisfil)	.....	1 00	Rev E M Murphy	Richard Boyes	J S Lucas	
Claremont	.....	104 41	D S McFarlane	George Bundy	Rev Wm Peattie	George Bundy
Clifford	58 56	.....	David Hillhouse	A S Allan	A S Allan	Wm Ford
Clifton	.....	50 00	J G Wright	Thomas Ward	Walter Stirling	Thos Ward
Clinton	.....	46 77	C Stevenson	John Gibbings	A S Fisher	A S Fisher
Coboconk	11 10	1 45	H Andrews	Wm Cookman	George Leroy	H Andrews
Cobourg	107 61	.....	J G Featherstone	J C Field	Richard Wilson	A S Kennedy
Colborne	24 05	23 20	J M Grover	G N Gordon	Dr C M Gould	G N Gordon
Coldsprings	.....	69 21	Rev W A McKay	D McIntosh	S Snellgrove	
Collingwood	39 74	.....	W B Hamilton	Hall Telfer	W A Parlane	R G Campbell

Columbus	.....	50 00	Rev W C Beer	Stephen Hugoe	James Burns	S Hugoe
Connor	.....	13 90	N Drummond	Sam Reaney	Robert Lee	
Gookstown	.....	22 80	George Duff	Henry Harper	James Ross	Henry Harper
Cooksville	1 50	39 66	Rev Thos Keogh	T D King	M W Cooke	J Galbraith
Copetown	5 64	29 25	David Patterson	M C L Kitchen	M C L Kitchen	O K Horning
Crediton	23 27	24 68	Rev D Dippel	Charles Brown	M Stevens	Charles Brown
Culloden	.....	70 00	Wm Agar	H McFarlane	H McFarlane	George Lish, Brownville H McFarlane, Culloden
Cumminsville	.....	.....	N Dent (Lowville P O).	J Turnbull	Wm Wilson	A Culloden
Demorestville	.....	13 70	J Hamilton	J H Roblin	David Smith	
Derry West (Britannia P O)	.....	† 54 87	E McBride	Wm Jardine	Wm Jardine	
Downsview	.....	† 51 90	J P Bull	Ignatius McGee	Ignatius McGee	
Drayton	15 00	50 00	Almon Healey	S Marshall	Jas Echlin	Henry Proctor
Drumbo	.....	31 60	Thos Pasmore	J L Burgess	F M Ainsley	J L Burgess
Drummondville	13 30	119 00	John Ker	Abel Land	M Morse	Abel Land
Duffin's Creek (Pickering P O)	.....	34 84	Rev J Pickering	B Bunting	B Bunting	Wm Logan
Dunbarton	.....	42 75	John Parker	Wm Dunbar	Rev A Kennedy	John Parker
**Dundalk*	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Henry Graham
Dundas (2 years)	23 58	187 48	Geo F Burrows	T H Mackenzie	Jas B Grafton	J B Meacham
Dungannon	6 00	12 29	Alex McPherson	R Clendenning	R Clendenning	R Clendenning
Dunnville	41 70	40 00	M Gash	Sam Cornick	W N Brand	Sam Cornick
Dunsford	.....	.....	John Murdoch	E Thurston	Peter Murdoch	
Durham	.....	20 00	Rev T W Magahy	John Cameron	N McKechnie	John Cameron
Eden Mills	.....	† 35 00	James Argo	Allan Ramsay	J A Davidson	J A Davidson
Egmondville	15 00	22 50	S Carnochan	Thomas Hills	H Chesney	George Jackson
Eldon (Argyle P O)	.....	25 25	Rev A McKay	N McEachern	N McEachern	H McQuarrie
Elimville	9 00	38 00	Thomas Werry, sen	James Halls	W Miners, jun	W Miners, jun
Elmira	42 04	22 50	Samuel Fear	Joseph Fear	David Bean	Wm Stephen
Elora	14 30	190 00	Rev E Kershaw	Joseph Carder	Joseph Carder	C Clarke, C E Perry
Embro	.....	163 27	D Matheson	Alex Gordon	Robert Murray	James Mann
Emerson (Manitoba)	.....	10 00	Rev A M Edwards	A McPherson	A McPherson	S J Jasper
Enniskillen	.....	.....	Rev D Large	Dr Hillier	D W Macleod	R Hutchison
Eramosa (Speedside P O)	.....	120 00	James Loghrin	Thos Armstrong	James Kennedy	John A Armstrong
Erin	11 32	56 48	Rev J J Lever	Wm Tyler	Wm Tyler	Robert Wood
Etobicoke, North	† 14 39	47 61	Rev Jas Brooks	W A Wallis	WA Wallis (Humber PO)	J T W Wallis
Etobicoke, South	.....	54 00	Alex McPherson	G Shaver	C Shaver (Islington P O)	
Eugenia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	R McL Purdy

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Fenelon Falls	42 53	60 55	Dr Allen	Wm Marshall	James Cameron	James Agnew
Fergus	.....	200 00	Rev George Smellie	A D Fordyce	A D Fordyce	R Philips, James Watt
Flesherton	10 00	.....	M Richardson	Mrs R J Sproule	J W Armstrong	Thos Bolster
Fonthill	.....	10 80	Rev E Chown	D Kinsman	Albert Revely	D Kinsman
Fordwich	1 50	38 05	Rev G W Racey	A Mitchell	J J Sweetman	J J Sweetman
Foxboro	3 00	9 22	William Ward	John Holgate	E Philpott	E Philpott
Fullarton	8 62	82 00	Rev R Hamilton (Motherwell P O)	George Rice	Rev J S Fisher	George Rice
Galt	.....	285 00	Rev Wm Masson	Hugh Cant	Wm H Lutz	
Garafraxa	7 80	45 00	Rev J B Goodspeed	Wm Ward	W T Blyth	W T Blyth
Georgetown	28 20	90 00	Rev John Lynch	H McKay	H McKay	Thos Ruston
Glanford	.....	† 22 20	Gideon Smith	Cyrus Smith	Joel Smith	Daniel Case
Glenallan	10 67	11 00	David Ghent	H McLachlan	Dr Dingman	H McLachlan
Glenville (Newmarket P O)	.....	8 00	Richard Kirton	Richard Kirton	J E Sharpe	
Goderich	25 00	11 77	Rev Dr Ure	E F Moore	E F Moore	D Gordon
Gorrie	8 16	11 84	S P Dorland	Richard Ross	C J Passmore	Rich Robinson
Grafton	5 04	31 84	Asa Hoyt	Thos Lawless	Rev J W Smith	Josias Gillard
Greenbank	9 00	27 00	John Michie	R. T Harrington	T E Cragg	R T Harrington
Greenwood	8 32	37 00	Alex MacKay	S Somerville	C Rogers (Kinsale P O)	Fred Meen
Grimsby	.....	.....	Rev R Phelps	D Palmer	D Palmer	J D Fitch
Guelph	97 49	370 00	James Hough	E Newton	Robert Gausby	B Savage
Hagersville	.....	18 05	H Hind	S W Howard	S W Howard	J H Hager
Haliburton	.....	.....	A Niven	Wm Leith	J L Brown	W Ritchie
Hamilton	421 74	536 67	James Watson	J W Bickle	Rev Dr Stewart, J Walker	D McLellan
Hampton	.....	21 60	Frederick Ellis	H Elliott	Richard H Bunt	H Elliott, jun
Hanover	30 71	.....	Rev A Z Gottwall	E A Goodeve	J H Adams	E A Goodeve

Harrington	.....	† 35 20	Rev D Gordon	Robert Heron	Robert Heron	Robert Heron
Harriston	.....	.....	John Henderson	Wm Henry	C McPherson	R H Young
Hastings	.....	.....	James Fowlds	Joseph A Fife	Joseph A Fife	H Morton
Hawksville	.....	16 93	W R Boomer	Richard Thomson.	Dr Vardon	Robert Morrison
Hespeler	39 37	.....	Rev J McAlister	Adam Shaw	G Martin	Adam Shaw
Hibbert (Staffa P O)	.....	24 00	Richd Hotham	J Carmichael	J Carmichael	A C Jones
Highland Creek	.....	35 00	Rev C R Bell	George Heron	Wm Stephenson	
Hillsburgh	.....	21 00	D McMurchy	John Byrne	John Byrne	John Carmichael
Holland Landing	.....	13 50	Geo Pulford	Geo Swazie	Wm Turner	William Luck
Hollin	.....	28 47	Wm Reid	Dr H H Fell	Dr H H Fell	Hugh Maxwell
Hope (Canton P O)	.....	36 00	Rev R Hurley	N Peters	N Peters	
Hopeville	8 49	84	Wm Armstrong	J M Fettis	J McArdle	J McArdle
Ingersoll	63 73	150 00	W H Eakins	Wm Hayward	R Kneeshaw	R Kneeshaw & Co
Innerkip	.....	45 33	D McBeath	James Hill	James Hill	
Innisfil (See Churchill)						
Ivanhoe	.....	6 50	C Tummon	David Fleming	S Tummon	Thos Emo
Ivy	3 83	† 12 10	Thomas Parker	Wm Banting	Thos McDonald	Wm Banting
Janetville	.....	6 29	John Burn	H Anderson	John McDermid	John Burn & Co
Jarvis	15 00	† 25 12	Rev T McGuire	James Mills	Charles Allen	James Mills
Jerseyville	21 29	.....	Nelson Howell	Reid Howell	Reid Howell	Cyrus Drake
Keene	.....	95 00	Christopher Howson	George Read	George Read	Jas McNeil
Kendal	.....	.....	Wm Jackson	J R Anderson	J R Anderson	
Keswick and Medina	6 19	16 34	Wm Abbs	Isaac Marritt	H Draper	R Vannorman
Kincardine	10 00	50 00	M Thomson	Frank Bone	S F Crawford	D Cameron
Kinlough	.....	19 30	W Malcolm, sen	Robert Paxton	Rev A G Forbes (Kinloss P O)	Robert Paxton
Kinmount	15 00	.....	Rev J Wilks	H Graham	H Graham	W Graham
Kintore	.....	† 28 00	Alex Campbell	Geo Alderson	Thos Robinson	Robert Eldon
Kippen	.....	30 00	Geo Thompson	Robert Mellis	Robert Mellis	Robert Mellis
Kirkfield	9 90	17 30	Rev Thos Fox	Thos Munro	J McTaggart	J McTaggart
Kirkton	.....	40 00	Rev W E Scott	Alex Kirk	Alex Kirk	B Rodhouse
Lakefield	.....	20 00	Isaac Garbutt	John C Sherin	John Hull	John C Sherin
Lakelet and Mackintosh.	22 00	50 00	Wm Harkness	Myles Young	Myles Young	W C Hazlewood
Lakeside	14 00	26 00	Dr Sparkes	H Harris	H Harris	R Armstrong
Laskey	.....	65 30	James Jenkins	Rev J Carmichael.	Rev J Carmichael	Wm Dunning
Leskard	.....	† 5 30	D Tyerman	John Carveth	John Carveth	Thos Staples
Lindsay	.....	141 85	Judge Dean	J H Knight	James Neelands	R S Porter

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Little Britain	5 50	21 60	R F Whiteside	John Broad	J G Ford	John Broad
Lloydtown	10 50	76 50	A Armstrong, jun	James Henderson	Thos Elliott	John M Wood
Londesboro'	34 55	39 91	S McVittie, sen	Hugh Wallace	James Campbell	Hugh Wallace
Lucknow	20 38	.....	Rev J B Taylor	Robert Malcolm	Charles Secord	Kerr & McKinnon
Luther	5 00	14 10	Thos Gordon	James McCulloch	W R Scott	W R Scott
Lynden	.....	.....	James E Orr	Robert Wood	Robert Wood	B Vansickle
Lynedoch	.....	.....	J Charlton, M P	W A Charlton	W A Charlton	W A Charlton
Madoc	.....	.....	A F Wood	E D O'Flynn	E D O'Flynn	— Wilson
Malton	.....	2 45	J McMullen	T Brocklebank	T B Allen	
Manchester (Auburn P O)	.....	50 63	Rev W Hillyard	S Caldwell	S Caldwell	S Caldwell
Manilla	.....	41 40	John Clarke	Elias Bowes	George Douglas	George Douglas
Markdale	.....	19 00	M Armstrong	Wm Douglas	John Lyons	Wm Brown
Markham	29 03	.....	James Speight	H R Wales	Dr E T Crowle	Mrs Byron
Marmora	2 14	2 03	.....	.....	.....	T Pearce
Meaford	5 00	.....	Geo Robinson	K Hurd	Wm Stewart	K Hurd
Medonte	83	14 00	Wm Ritchie	Geo Miller	Wm Thompson	Alex Fowler
Melrose	.....	† 12 40	Rev J Turnbull	S S Osborne	C C Anderson	
Merritton	.....	† 13 56	Rev T J Reid	J R Cook	J R Cook	Wm Parnell
Milford	.....	23 28	J H Knox	Lewis Hicks	E Burley	
Millbank	.....	.....	Rev E Croly	Dr J Johnson	J B Rutherford	J C Mitchell
Millbrook	53 50	.....	Geo Needler	W H Russell	W H Russell	H W Judd
Millpoint	6 00	14 97	E W Rathbun	W R Aylesworth	W G Eager	James Climie
Milton	.....	150 00	Thos Rixon	Wm Clouston	S W Taylor	F J Jones
Milverton	.....	.....	Thos Freeborn	D Marklinger	J G Grosch	J D Pearson
Minden	.....	.....	S S Peck	C D Curry, M D	Wm Lee	A McIntosh
Minesing	.....	.....	John Standen	John Morren	John Morren	A Ronald
Mitchell	32 15	.....	Rev A Hurlburt	J H Flagg	W Colwell	W Colwell
Moira	.....	.....	H Ostrom	R McTaggart	John Brenton	F Benson
Molesworth	6 38	42 58	Andrew Mitchell	John McNeish	C W Watson	C W Watson

Mono Centre	.....	21 00	James Coleman	James Coleman	John Barclay	Hugh Laidlaw
Mono Mills	5 47	36 00	Dr Lawrence	J Richardson	J Richardson	Henry Allen
Moorefield	15 78	20 19	James Kyle	J C Robinson	D Callaway (Huston P O)	— Crittenden
Morriston	23 50	9 67	B Braun	Wm Smith	C Rotharmel	Wm Ross
Mount Albert	.....	20 08	Rev D Cattanach	N O'Brien	E Shuttleworth	Robert Hunter
Mount Forest	18 80	.....	G G Smith	L H Yeomans	G R Gilroy	Wm Glanville
Mount Pleasant (Cavan)	.....	† 19 85	Geo Jamieson	W N Best	James McLean	W N Best
Mount Pleasant (Brant)	.....	42 06	Rev T Alexander	J R Ellis	Dr Marquis (Mohawk P O)	J R Ellis
Nairn (Strabane P O)	.....	68 00	Rev J Robertson	J L Robertson	Charles Stewart	Brennan & Dickson, Strabane
Nanticoke	.....	† 44 00	J W Mencke	H Livingston	H Livingston	J and E Hirst, Freelton
Napanee	15 99	41 85	Charles James	J C Huffman	S Gibson	C E Bourne
Nassagaweya	13 50	45 00	Rev H H McPherson	James Milne	James Milne	J C Huffman & Co
Nelson (Appleby P O)	.....	25 65	Hiram Walker	John Fothergill	John Fothergill	J Easterbrook
Newbridge	.....	.....	Rev R Hassard	John Spence	James Fallis	Mrs S Carson
Newburgh	19 84	13 59	John Farley	A Caton	A Caton	A Caton
Newcastle	.....	.....	George Metcalfe	Dr McNaughton	Dr McNaughton	Daniel Allin
New Durham	.....	.....	Thomas Walker	Philip Kelly	Justus Cohoe	Charles Cochrane
New Hamburg	22 44	22 10	Fred Merner	S Laschinger	J J C Appel	Merner & Appel
Newmarket	.....	29 00	D Sutherland	H Richardson	E Hughes	John Cook
Newtonville (Clarke P O)	.....	.....	Rev Wm White	James Lockhart	L S Smith	
New Westminster, B C	.....	.....	W J Armstrong	C G Major	Rev Wm Pollard	
Niagara (2 years)	.....	145 00	Rev J Mills	Rev C Campbell	Rev C Campbell	
North Pelham	.....	25 00	Peter Brown	Warren Cross	Warren Cross (Effingham P O)	R H Comfort
North Sydenham	.....	30 00	Rev R Dewar (Annan PO)	David Ross	David Ross (Leith P O)	
Norval	.....	6 12	Rev J Alexander	Wm Clay	Thomas Smith	William Clay
Norwich	.....	50 00	James Barr	George Barr	George Barr	John A Tidey
Norwood	14 45	14 40	W E Roxburgh	W H Stevenson	W H Stevenson	J A Butterfield
Oakville	12 55	58 07	Robert Balmer	John Barclay	Rev W Meikle	John Barclay
Oakwood	.....	10 02	Jesse Welden	Henry Doubt	Henry Doubt	Thomas Demorest
Omemee	1 95	50 00	Wm Curry	Dr Geo Norris	Dr Norris	Dr Norris
Oneida (Mt Healey P O)	.....	75 07	A Dunnett	Peter Elder	Peter Elder	Mrs Cossar
Orangeville	.....	.....	John Greene	Thos Stevenson	J Skelton	Thomas Stevenson
Orchardville	.....	.....	.....	Peter Brown	Peter Brown	H Caldwell
Orillia	100 00	.....	Dr Elliott	Thos Dallas	J Cuppage	Thomas Dallas
Orono	.....	† 46 50	J L Tucker	G M Long	G M Long	Wm Henry
Oshawa	35 58	75 00	W H Gibbs	R Wellington	J W Higginbotham	J W Higginbotham

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Owen Sound	.....	37 65	Geo Snyder, M P	H C Ross	Rev J J Hindley	Wm Ireland
*Oxenden	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	T H Reeve
Oxford East (Holbrook P O)	.....	30 00	A Fleming	A M Whitfield	S R Wallace	A M Whitfield
Painswick	.....	14 24	W H Hewson	John Warnica	John Sibbald	
Paisley	10 00	75 00	Geo W Malloch	N McKechnie	Edward Wall	John Kelso
Palmerston	43 76	.....	Rev W H Butt	Rev D W Cameron	Rev D W Cameron	James Pummell
Paris	.....	186 00	M Falsetter	H Finlayson, MPP	Thomas Hall	C H Roberts
Parry Sound (2 years)	24 24	31 05	Wm Beatty, LL B	Dr Walton	J M Ansley	Dr Walton
Penetanguishene	..	11 00	Dr P H Spohn	Miss Black	James Darling	E & H E Jeffrey
Percy (Warkworth P O)	.....	80 00	John Douglas	R P Hurlburt	R P Hurlburt	A Maybee, Warkworth A Douglas, Norham
Peterborough	129 14	160 00	James Edwards	Geo E Shaw	R Fairbairn	P Connal
Picton	45 25	96 99	J S Clute	R S Roblin	J Twigg	C B Allison
Pine River and Amberley	12 54	21 60	Rev Wm Graham	James Wilkie	J Wilkie (Amberley P O)	James Wilkie
Pinkerton	9 00	25 00	Richard Garland	S A King	Dr Douglas	S A King
Port Albert	3 30	5 71	George Caldwell	Thos Hawkins	James Quaid	Thomas Hawkins
Port Colborne	.....	.....	L G Carter	— Armitage	— Armitage	R Balfour
Port Dalhousie	.....	.....	Rev J Porteous	Wm Cooke	John Laurie	
Port Dover	4 44	41 00	Peter Lawson	T B Barrett	David Abel	P G Bagley
Port Elgin	30 00	54 00	Rev Jas Gourlay	John Falconer	J A Chapman	John Scott
Port Hope	175 82	171 62	H H Meredith	James Craick	J F Clarke	W H Parsons
Port Perry	20 90	55 77	Geo Currie	John Rolph	Wm Brock, jun	S E Allison
Port Robinson	13 15	9 35	R Robertson	James Abbey	M Wise	M Wise
Port Rowan	.....	.....	Rev W Pugsley	J L Dedrick	J C Newkirk	J C Newkirk
Preston	.....	.....	H Hepburn	E Erb	J Detwiler	C Nispel
Prince Albert	35 31	.....	David Cash	T C Foreman	T C Foreman	Miss E Hurd
Prince Arthur's Landing	25 00	.....	Rev D McKerracher	W Preston	R E Mitchell	W Preston
Princeton	.....	46 00	J T Hornor	H C Forsyth	Dr Pentland	H C Forsyth

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Queenston.....	.....	.....	James Durham	H Vrooman	C A Fisher	C A Fisher
Richmond Hill (2 years)..	.....	188 00	Robert Marsh	Abraham Law....	J H Sanderson	W H Keefler
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Rockwood and Everton..	9 11	78 54	Rev D Strachan	J R Harris	J R Harris	R Passmore, Rockwood
Rosemont	7 14	.....	Rev J Garner	J Cumberland	D McLaren	George Cumming
Roslin.....	† 14 00	11 50	Dr Innar.....	Charles Hudson ..	Rev D Kelso	Miss Hewitt
Rothsay.....	.....	11 61	Rev D Anderson.....	A McKenzie.....	W H Lowes.....	W H Lowes
Rugby	.....	40 00	G Tudhope	James Ball	Rev R Fairbairn (Jarrett's Corners P O)	James Ball
St Ann's	.....	.....	Irvine Teeter	Geo Snyder	Isaac Snyder	A Middleton
St Catharines	121 00	244 00	James Gilleland	A S St John.....	James Mills	S S Junkin
St George	5 80	47 65	J S Crawford	Rev R Hume	S D Bingham	John R Neff
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St William's.....	2 60	30 00	Rev James Whiting	J W Tolmie	J W Tolmie	L McKinnon
Sandford	.....	23 00...	.....	G Smith	Wm Nelson	Ed Taylor
Sault Ste. Marie.....	26 10	13 90	Peter Brown	Wm Vaughan	W H Carney	Lorenzo Londry
Scarborough.....	.....	183 75	Rev. R. P. McKay.....	Amos Thomson ..	D W Thomson (Ellesmere P O)	
Scotland	.....	.....	Joseph C Nunnick	Albert Foster	Albert Foster	Henry Lyman
Seaforth.....	12 84	† 56 48	Rev George Buggin	R Lumsden	R Lumsden	R Lumsden
Sebringville	.....	61 75	Rev C F Braun	John Kastner	Wm H Otto.....	
Selby	.....	13 79	John McKim	Wm Hazard.....	W Beeman	Scarth Bros
Selkirk	.....	.....	Amos Gadsby	George Jepson....	A H Cline.....	E E Phillips
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Shannonville	6 02	5 42	R F Regan	D N Demill	James McCance	James McCance
Shelburne	10 35	24 92	Rev J R Gilchrist	Geo R Hannah....	E Jessup	John Corbett
Simcoe	.....	† 70 00	Judge McMahon.	J Donly.....	H N Courtlandt	Livingstone & Co
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Sonya.....	5 95	11 48	Rev A Currie, M A	Alex Black	D Ferguson	Alex Black
South Monaghan & Cavan	.....	100 00	J D Armstrong (Millbrook P O)	R Waddell	J W McBain (Bensfort P O)	T H Tate
Stayner	.....	.....	Rev J Webster	R R Jennison	R R Jennison	Laidlaw, Nicol & Co
Stirling	10 00	.....	Dr Boulter, M P P.....	Albert Brodie	Andrew Glass	Dr Boulter
Stouffville.....	54 73	† 45 20	Rev E D Silcox, M A....	Thomas Shaw	J B Flint	R Rowan

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Branch.	Remittances. Pur. Acct.	Remittances. Free Con.	President.	Treasurer.	Secretary.	Depositary.
	$ cts.	$ cts.				
Stratford	.....	180 00	Rev T McPherson	Rev C Walker	Rev C Walker	
Streetsville	5 20	9 30	William Barber	R K Beaty	G Macaulay	Wm Webb
Sunderland	15 40	28 25	R E Porritt	James Stonehouse.	James Stonehouse	R E Porritt
Sutton (Georgina P O)	13 28	49 39	R J Stevenson	J M Rea	J M Rea	Alex Williams
Tamworth	22 59	11 00	R N Neeley	James Aylsworth	James Aylsworth	James Aylsworth
Tavistock	19 17	.....	Werner Mogh	Fred Jacobs	J Zimmerman	Wm Morlock
Teeswater	7 83	32 13	Rev D Wardrope	Allan McLean	Allan McLean	Samuel Waldo
Temperanceville	.....	25 00	Rev W Grant	D Johnston	D Johnston	
Thornbury & Clarksburg	.....	.....	W J Marsh	W Hunter	W Hunter (Clarksburg P O)	Thomas M'Kenny, J McMahon
Thornhill	.....	21 84	James Keith	Dr McConnell	Johnston Wilson	
Thornton	6 80	.....	Rev J Cochran	R Cunningham	R Cunningham	J Scott
Thorold	.....	100 00	James Beatty	J Miller	James Munro	Jacob Keefer
Tilsonburg	.....	.....	J Garnet	G W Robinson	W R Hardy	G W Robinson
Tiverton	5 04	108 00	Rev John Anderson	N McInnes	John Dewar	N McInnes
Tottenham	.....	.....	Rev J A McConnell	Alex Totten	Henry Stone	Henry Stone
Trenton	.....	.....	W H Austin	John M Allen	Dr Williams	O H Bonter
Trowbridge	10 00	6 00	Wm Kellington	Wm H Nisbet	W H Nisbet	John Frier
Tweed	.....	.....	George Easterbrook	W J Bowell	George Reid	Dr Tuttle
Tyrone	† 23 18	22 89	Peter Werry	Wm Clemens	George Gibbard	S Vanstone
Underwood	20 62	.....	Rev George McLennan	Hugh Murray	Hugh Murray	Hugh Murray
Unionville	10 86	.....	H P Crosby	M Braithwaite	C H Chant	M Braithwaite
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Varna	.....	44 00	J B Secord	John McAsh	James Shaw	James Stewart
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Vittoria	10 00	20 00	P W Rapelje	H W Mabee	W C Doyle	C P Young
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Waverley	.....	.....	Edward Grigg	Robt Anderson	Thos W Pew	Thos Baycroft
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West Darlington (Bowmanville P O)	.....	17 00	Thomas Harris	Jas Rundle, jun.	Wm Adair	
West Essa	13 26	.....	J G Hood	John Bruce	John Bruce	D Henderson
Weston	7 62	63 00	Dr E Aiken	Wm Nason	Wm Nason	Wm Nason
Whitby	56 87	70 00	David Ormiston	Ross Johnston	Ross Johnston	S W B Smith
Whitevale	31 44	.....	E Bradshaw	D McPhee	A B White	D McPhee
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Winterbourne	14 68	50 00	James Law	J M Woodward	M Durrant	P S Kilborne
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Zion (Solina P O)	.....	15 00	Peter Werry	S Washington	W Werry	
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YORK (AFTERWARDS CITY OF TORONTO) AUX. BIBLE SOCIETY.			
YEAR.	ENDING.	ISSUES.	INCOME.
		Volumes.	$ cts.
1st	December 1st, 1829	542	722 20
2nd	do 1830	1208	1130 91
3rd	do 1831	1682	1248 57
4th	do 1832	1527	817 22
5th	do 1833	1777	1358 35
6th	do 1834	960	1042 33
7th	do 1835	1429	1620 41
8th	do 1836	2577	1109 93
9th	do 1837	1845	1318 58
10th	April 30th, 1839*	2071	1837 07
11th	do 1840	2819	2055 33
UPPER CANADA BIBLE SOCIETY.			
1st	April 30th, 1841	8721	3672 81
2nd	do 1842	12127	5657 03
3rd	March 31st, 1843†	11371	5273 37
4th	do 1844	11335	5340 45
5th	do 1845	13066	5538 93
6th	do 1846	11606	6075 91
7th	do 1847	13104	5840 05
8th	do 1848	12323	4870 78
9th	do 1849	13809	4875 82
10th	do 1850	13596	4808 56
11th	do 1851	16393	5596 01
12th	do 1852	13063	4717 88
13th	do 1853	18069	7947 40
14th	do 1854	21574	13286 07
15th	do 1855	28833	14275 20
16th	do 1856	32383	18710 12
17th	do 1857	32509	21790 10
18th	do 1858	24741	19040 86
19th	do 1859	19371	16211 54
20th	do 1860	27037	19256 56
21st	do 1861	29485	19776 33
22nd	do 1862	27267	20372 86
23rd	do 1863	27837	18067 94
24th	do 1864	26593	19766 08
25th	do 1865	35231	17554 21
26th	do 1866	49591	23290 50
27th	do 1867	46899	22644 54
28th	do 1868	42761	25947 42
29th	do 1869	38093	25746 87
30th	do 1870	36785	25105 35
31st	do 1871	40056	29533 96
32nd	do 1872	42794	33119 35
33rd	do 1873	40823	30646 93
34th	do 1874	42240	33069 55
35th	do 1875	35710	30084 95
36th	do 1876	37571	29510 97
37th	do 1877	38174	32043 61
38th	do 1878	38769	31335 77
	Total to date.....	1,050,147	$674,663 54

☞ For convenience of comparison, the receipts are given in decimal currency from the beginning.

* A period of sixteen months. † A period of eleven months.

NOTE.—Up to the year ending March, 1875, a grant of £200 sterling from the Parent Society was included in income, but was then discontinued at the request of this Society.

ANNIVERSARY MEETING.

The thirty-eighth anniversary of the Upper Canada Bible Society was held in St. Andrew's Church, King Street West, Wednesday, May 8th. Considering the inclemency of the weather, the audience was large and appreciative. In the absence of the Hon. G. W. Allan, President, the Rev. William Reid, D.D., one of the Vice-Presidents, occupied the chair. Associated with him on the platform were Prof. J. W. Dawson, LL.D., Principal of McGill College, Montreal; Prof. Daniel Wilson; Revs. Lachlan Taylor, D.D., A. Topp, DD., John Potts, J. M. Cameron, John Castle, D.D., Prof. Gregg, A.M.; W. W. Ross, D. J. Macdonnell; and Messrs. A. T. McCord, James Brown, Robert Baldwin (Permanent Secretary), and Dr. C. B. Hall. Rev. Dr. Evans, Secretary to the London Auxiliary Branch, was also present.

After the usual devotional exercises, led by the Rev. D. J. Macdonnell,

The Chairman explained that the President's absence was due to his being present at Ottawa discharging his public duties, and he sympathised with the audience in the loss they had sustained in not having that gentleman present to address them. Referring to the Society's success, he said the number of issues was six hundred more last year than the previous year, and the revenue from ordinary sources was increased. The labours of the colporteurs had been very successful, and the only unpleasant event was the change in regard to the auxiliary society at London. The people of to-day lived in stirring times, when old opinions were being removed from their moorings, but those present held firm to a belief in the living God and His revelation. While many scientific men assailed the Scriptures, yet there were scientific men of no mean eminence who contended there was a harmony between the revelations of science and those of the Bible. He concluded by paying a fitting tribute to Prof. Dawson for his labours in defending the Word of God.

Mr. Robert Baldwin, the Permanent Secretary, briefly moved the adoption of the report, and referred to a letter in which the President gave his personal experience in Italy of the beneficial results of distributing Bibles.

Mr. James Brown, in seconding the motion, referred to the healthy state of the Society's finances, which should be a reason for giving God special thanks for His providence during these times of commercial depression. Notwithstanding the assaults made upon the Word of God, there was no reason for fear, because heaven and earth might pass away, but the Word of God would endure for ever.

The motion was unanimously carried.

Mr. J. J. Woodhouse, seconded by Rev. Mr. Dickson, moved .—"That thanks be given to the officers, committees, and collectors of the various branches throughout the country, to whose zeal and energy the Society is so much indebted; and that the following gentlemen be officers and directors for the ensuing year:"—(See names, page 4.)

Dr. Dawson then addressed the audience. He prefaced his remarks by expressing to the members of the Society the heartfelt good wishes of the Montreal Auxiliary Bible Society, and its thanks for the friendly interest they have taken in its special work. He moved the following resolution:—"That the course of events and the tendencies of opinion should induce Christians everywhere, and especially in this Dominion, to gather more closely around the Bible, as the only Revelation of saving truth and the only support of spiritual life." He held that Bible work was the greatest work of the age—that which more than any other would promote its spiritual growth and

enlightenment. It was true that many believed otherwise—regarded the Bible as behind the present age, and accuse us of an idolatrous veneration for the book. The accusation was an unreasonable one. The Bible was no ordinary book. Independently of all higher claims, it could be affirmed that it practically held its own and required no vindication other than that of actual facts open to observation. He did not think it necessary to defend the Bible for its own sake. If really God's Word it could defend itself. If he spoke in behalf of the Bible, it was for the benefit of poor human souls who could be saved only by the Word of God. Our work might be regarded as a very humble kind of Bible work. They were not as a Society, undertaking to expound the Bible, but merely disseminating it. Yet even in this he held they were engaged in one of the greatest efforts in relation to Christ's cause. There were three considerations that should weigh with them in pushing forward this work. The first was the testimony of Jesus Christ, himself, as recorded in the gospels—documents which even the opponents of the Bible must receive as historical. Surely nothing could be more striking than the witness which He bore to the Old Testament Scriptures as the Word of God, and to His own teaching and that of His apostles, as the continuance of that Word. How frequently and reverently He quoted and appealed to the Scriptures, and how steadfastly did He support their claims. If He so treated them, should not we look upon them in a similar light? A second consideration was the historical record of the Scriptures; and a third was the power they were known to exercise over the minds and hearts of men.

These considerations may well centre around the first of them, namely the testimony of Jesus himself. He announces Himself as come not to destroy the Law and the Prophets but to fulfil; and observe that in this he has especial reference to the prophetical character of the Old Testament, to its being a book not for old time merely, but for all time. Again, He says no jot or tittle of the law should pass away till all be fulfilled. Observe that in so saying He is treating the Old Testament books as written records. He never condescends to define or vindicate any kind of verbal inspiration, but can any words be stronger than these—no least letter or dot that gives character to a letter, shall be allowed by God to perish out of these sacred books. Again, how decided is the sentiment attributed to Abraham in that terrible and mysterious parable which represents the rich man in torment as asking that Lazarus may be sent to preach to his brethren. "If they hear not Moses and the prophets neither will they be persuaded if one rose from the dead." It is not without a purpose that Abraham who lived before the law and the prophets, and Christ who came to fulfil them, are thus made to unite in asserting their sufficiency for the salvation of man.

In like manner our Lord places His own sayings and those of His apostles on the same high level. In that prophetic utterance in which he foretells the overthrow of the Jewish nation and the Mosaic dispensation, he uses the bold words—too bold if uttered by merely human lips,—"Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away." We know very well on the evidence of physical facts, that the material heaven and earth are passing away, and shall pass away unless renewed by Almighty power, but the words of the prophet of Nazareth are affirmed to be imperishable—as true in this age as nineteen centuries ago, and may they not be as true and as valuable ninety centuries hereafter. We have some evidences of this in the world of religious thought, for we see that while creeds and dogmas and ecclesiastical organizations have proved themselves to be only for a time, Christ's words still live and act upon the minds of men. In like manner He authenticated the further teaching of His Apostles, when He said, "I have given unto them Thy Word,"—with the farther assurance that it was this, and this alone,

which had truth and sanctifying power. If we are true to Christ we surely could not attach less value to the Bible than He did. And if we look upon the matter from His point of view we have a right to stand fast against the contrary opinions of the times.

The second consideration was the historical record of the Bible. One illustration of this, not so often thought of as it should be, may suffice for the present. In the evil days of Manasseh and Amon, the books of Moses—the only Bible of those days—had fallen out of sight. Still the forms and ceremonies of the Church remained, as they did in a similar state of things in the middle ages, and tradition and prophecy kept up some more or less imperfect testimony to the truth, but the Word itself was hidden away. But just as Luther, in a similarly decaying condition of Christianity, was moved to new life by finding a neglected Bible in the library of his convent, so did Hilkiah find, buried among less precious things in the Temple, an old copy of the Pentateuch, not improbably the original manuscript of the books, or at least the Temple copy ordered of old to be laid up in the side of the ark of the covenant. Those who doubt this forget that Egyptian papyri as old as the time of Moses, remain legible even to this day, and are exhibited in our museums, and that some of our manuscripts of the New Testament are as old as this would have been in the time of Josiah. The reading of the newly found book produced a striking effect upon the pious King Josiah, and caused a revival of religion in Judah ; but it was too late to avert the ruin of the nation. The decree had gone forth ; Jerusalem and its temple must be destroyed, and the people of Judah must go into captivity. But they did not go without the Bible. The old book went with them. They multiplied copies of it, and in a heathen land, without any temple, or regular service, they read it every Sabbath day, and it so leavened their minds and hearts as to fit them to return to their own land fortified forever against the inroads of heathenism, and determined to keep up the true faith till Messiah came. This is the historical significance of the recovery of the Bible in the time of Josiah, and presents some strange features of parallelism with that grander resurrection of the Bible which occurred at the Reformation. Many tell us that the present time is one of decadence of the power of the Bible, but so they might have said in the time of Manasseh, or of Leo the Tenth, and the parallel may hold in the revival, as well as in the decay. The present age is obviously one of decay and breaking up of old institutions. This is, however, only that the things which cannot be shaken may remain. But the Bible translated into every language, speaking to every man who can read, far more widely circulated than any other book, shews no signs of decay, and affords the surest guarantee for a brighter time, even that time when every man, having the Bible in his hand and its truths in his heart, shall know the Lord and shall need no one to instruct him in such knowledge. That time, predicted by ancient prophecy, can arrive only through the medium of a Bible universally circulated, read and believed ; but this would inevitably bring it about, however unlikely it may seem now. The third consideration I have referred to, is that the Bible vindicates its power and excellence in the experience of every individual Christian. This requires no proof to a Christian audience. Its evidence is in the heart of every converted man, and I am sure that all present will concur with me in the statement that the more we study the Bible and live by its precepts the more precious it becomes to us.

Such views of the value and destiny of the Bible may appropriately lead me in conclusion to say a few words in relation to the Province which I represent here. Its condition in reference to Bible circulation is very different from that of Ontario. At least five-sixths of the people of that Province

unhappily know nothing of the Scriptures, and teaching opposed to the Bible was rampant and unchecked. The Bible colporteur had literally when persecuted in one place to flee to another. It was difficult to dispose of the Bible to a people most of whom would not accept a copy even if given for nothing, and where converts to the religion of the Bible were often so much persecuted that they had to leave the country. He referred to the persecution of the Oka Indians, and the failure of two successive governments to secure their rights from an arrogant and powerful priesthood, as an illustration of this. He trusted that the Christians here sympathised with the cause of Protestantism in the Province of Quebec, and that their prayers constantly went up for its success. They should not expect too much of the Protestants of Quebec. They were fighting a hard and seemingly doubtful battle. He asked his hearers not to believe the reports spread against colporteurs and missionaries. Antichrist could speak like a dragon or a lamb as it suited his purpose, and it was his policy to slander his opponents, while too many weak-kneed Protestants were ready to take up his parable and give it currency. He asked them to remember that it was but a minority of a minority who were bold enough with them to fight the battle of the Gospel. The contest had long seemed a losing one, and they were often told that the efforts and money employed in it were wasted; yet signs of success and deliverance appeared, and the time was, he trusted, approaching when a regenerated French population should compete in Christian work with that of English origin, and when the men who spoke the tongue of Calvin should show a spirit worthy of the Huguenots of France. The Bible and the Bible alone could do this. In the meantime let the friends of the Bible in the Dominion draw close around its standard and thereby cleave to one another that they might present a united front to the enemies of the Word. The Bible was the sword of God's Spirit, and was the only weapon to pierce the adamantine armour of Antichrist. Instead of talking about defending the Bible, it should be used as a weapon of war. He asked them to sink all local, political and denominational differences, and living the truths of the Bible in their own lives, teach and circulate the blessed truth as God might give them opportunity, in the sure faith that the seed of the Word would bear an abundant harvest, and that God would not permit it to return to Him void, but that it should accomplish that for which he gave it, even the salvation of men. The speaker sat down amidst applause.

Rev. Dr. Castle seconded the resolution, and it was carried unanimously.

Rev. W. W. Ross, agent of the Society, moved:—"That it becomes us to recognize God's hand in bringing good out of evil, especially in the opening of a great and effectual door for the circulation of His Holy Word during the Russo-Turkish war; and whilst rejoicing in the generous support already received by our great parent, the British and Foreign Bible Society, we pledge ourselves anew to do all we can in helping her to seize every opportunity for the wider spread of the Bible."

In support of the motion, he said that God frequently used means which He did not endorse, and certainly He could not favour the Turks because they had set up Mahomet in the place of Christ. Yet much good unwittingly had come from the Turks. In 1453 Constantinople passed from Christian into heathen—or worse than heathen—Mahommedan hands. In Constantinople the learning of ages had become centralized, and its custodians became selfish, and when the city was captured, the selfish Christians, with their treasures of learning, were driven to the west of Europe. From that dispersion came Erasmus and the Greek Testament with its parallel columns in Latin; Martin Luther and the German Bible; and Tyndall and the English Bible. On Sunday, February 11, 1526, Cardinal Wolsey sat in old St. Paul's

Cathedral, and before him were baskets full of Tyndall's Bibles. While the King and Cardinal were keeping the Still Christmas, the Bibles were circulated through the Universities and over the country. A vigorous search was made, with the result already mentioned. Sunday was the day set for the burning of the books ; and Fisher, Bishop of Rochester, preached the sermon, and announced so many days' indulgence to every person in attendance. There were six or seven of Tyndall's spiritual children present, and they stood with bundles of faggots tied to their backs. They were forced to destroy the books, and afterwards pile the faggots on the flames. He narrated in detail the fate of the first edition of Tyndall's Bible, and the almost miraculous means by which the money for publishing the revised edition was provided. The Bible Society was born in the troublous times when French ambition and infidelity plotted against England ; but God provided means to frustrate such purposes. He then proceeded to explain the influence of the Russo-Turkish war on the circulation of the Bible, saying that a fine translation of the Bible in the Turkish tongue had been made. Access to the Turkish army was refused to the missionaries, but during the war every Russian victory placed so many more prisoners under the influence of the missionary. The doom of Turkey was the greatest gain for the Christian religion which had taken place in the nineteenth century. In many respects Russia presented a larger field for Bible work than Turkey did. In a few weeks seven Bible men of the British and Foreign Bible Society circulated 20,000 Bibles among the Russian soldiers. In the East, during the war, 45,000 copies of the Bible have been sold, and 90,000 copies given away.

Professor Daniel Wilson seconded the resolution, which was unanimously carried.

The following resolutions were then carried :—

Moved by the Rev. J. M. Cameron, and seconded by Mr. Mortimer :—"That the hearty thanks of this meeting be presented to the Trustees of the Northern Congregational Church for its use on Sabbath evening last, and to the Rev. J. A. R. Dickson for the instructive sermon which he preached in the interests of the Society on that occasion."

Moved by Mr. A. T. McCord, seconded by Rev. Mr. Potts :—"That the hearty thanks of this meeting be presented to the Pastor and Trustees of this Church for its use on the present occasion, and to the organist and choir for their valuable services in connection with this annual meeting."

The meeting closed with the benediction, pronounced by the Rev. Dr. Evans.

BIBLE SOCIETY NOTICES.

ALL Auxiliaries and Branches are particularly requested to make out a Yearly Report, which shall embrace all the principal occurrences of the year, with a List of Subscribers, for which blank forms are provided, and send the same to the Secretaries at the Depository, Toronto, on or before the *Thirty-first Day of March*, so that there may be sufficient time to prepare the Annual Report before the Annual General Meeting of the Society.

☞ IT IS FURTHER REQUESTED, that when remittances are made to the Upper Canada Bible Society, it should be stated whether the same are to be placed to the *Purchase Account*, or given as a *Free Contribution* to the Funds of the Society, &c. All remittances should be made to the Depositary.